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6th June	NARKUNDA··		16,227
13th ,,	RAZMAK .	MOREA *	10,911
20th ,,	CALEDONIA§		7,622
27th ,,	RAZMAK ..	MOOLTANx	20,847
4th July	KAISAR-I-HIND ..		11,430
11th ,,	RAZMAK ..	MALWA*	10,941
18th ,,	RANPURA ..		16,100
25th ,,	MALOJA x		20,837
1st Aug.	CHINA ..		7,952
8th ,,	RAZMAK ..	MANTUA *	10,902
15th ,,	CALEDONIA.		7,622
22nd ,,	RAZMAK ..	NALDERA x	15,993
29th ,,	MOREA ..		10,911
5th Sept.	RAZMAK	MACEDONIA*	11,089
12th ,,	KAISAR-I-HIND		16,227
19th ,,	RAZMAK	NARKUNDA*	16,100
26th ,,	RANPURA		
3rd Oct.	RAZMAK ..	MONG LIA x	16,504
10th ,,	CHINA ..		7,952
17th ,,	RAZMAK ..	MOOLTAN x..	20,847
24th ,,	RAWALPINDI ..		16,100
31st ,,	RAZMAK ..	MALWA * ..	10,941
7th Nov.	RANCHI ..		16,100
14th ,,	RAZMAK ..	MALOJA ..	20,837
21st ,,	KAISAR-I-HIND ..		11,430
28th ,,	RAZMAK ..	MANTUA x ..	10,902
5th Dec	RANPURA ..		16,100
12th ,,	RAZMAK ..	NALDERA x..	15,954
19th ,,	DEVANHA ..		8,151
26th ,,	RAZMAK ..	MOREA x ..	10,919

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1925		
11th June	MANDALA	8,246
25th ,,	NIRVANA*	6,021
16th July	DOMALA	8,441
6th August	MARGHA	8,278
8th Oct.	WARFIELD*	6,060
29th Oct.	NIRVANA * ..	6,021
12th Nov.	MANDALA	8,246
26th ,,	DUMANA	8,427
10th Dec.	MARGHA	8,278

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Date.	Steamers.	Tons.	Connects at Colombo for Australia with
13th June	ALIPORE* ..	5,273	
13th ,,	SARDINIA ..	6,684	
23rd ,,	SOUDAN ..	6,696	NALDERA
7th July	SICILIA ..	6,813	DONGOLA
4th Aug.	DELTA ..	8,097	MANGOLIA
7th ,,	NARKUNDA	16,227	
1st Sept.	SOUDAN ..	6,696	KATHAY
15th ,,	SICILIA ..	6,813	MALOJA
13th Oct.	DELTA ..	8,097	NALDERA
10th Nov.	SOUDAN ..	6,696	NARKUNDA

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(Sd.) Y. N. GORE,
Municipal Engineer,
Ahmedabad Municipality.

Dated, 30th May, 1925.
Municipal Office, Ahmedabad.
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JIVRAJ N. MEHTA,
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Seth Gordhandas Sunderdas Medical College,
Bombay.
1st June, 1925.
C23392

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Henshaw's Buildings, Bank Street, Fort, Bombay, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of June, 1925, at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.) to transact the following business :—

1. To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and Audited Balance Sheet as at 31st December 1924.
2. To elect Directors in place of those who retire by rotation, but who are eligible for re-election.
3. To appoint Auditors for the current year and to fix their remuneration.
4. To transact any other business the Chairman may bring before the Meeting.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th day of June, 1925, to the 25th day of June, 1925, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,
N. SIRUR & CO.
Managing Agents.
Bombay, 24th April, 1925.
C23193

THE MOOLJI HARIDAS MILLS, LTD.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Moolji Haridas Mills, Limited, will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Henshaw Buildings, Bank Street, Fort, Bombay, on SATURDAY, the 13th June, 1925, at 4 p.m. (S.T.) to transact the following business :—

1. To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and Audited Accounts for the year ending 31st December 1924.
2. To confirm the appointment of Mr. VELJEE SHIVJEE as a Director.
3. To elect two Directors in place of Mr. Devidas M. Dalal and Mr. Dawoodbhai Abdulalli, who retire by rotation but are eligible for re-election.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year and to fix their remuneration.
5. To transact such other business as the Chairman may bring before the meeting.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will remain CLOSED from 5th day of June to 27th day of June, 1925, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,
MOOLJI HARIDAS & S. NARANJI & CO.
Agents.
Bombay, 25th May, 1925
C23413

LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE HIGHCOURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Suit No. 1184 of 1925.

RAJA BAHADUR BANSILAL MOTILAL, of Hyderabad (Deccan), carrying on business in Bombay at Kalbadevi Road, without the Fort of Bombay ..... Plaintiff.

vs.

(1) THE WADIA WOOLLEN MILLS, LIMITED, a Joint Stock Company, registered under the Indian Companies Act VII of 1913 and having its Registered Office at 25, Waudby Road, within the Fort of Bombay and (2) HUSSEINBHOY PILANI WADIA & CO., a firm carrying on business at 25, Waudby Road within the Fort of Bombay ..... Defendants.

To

JUWALADATT RAMESHWAR PILANI, Esq.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above suit has been filed inter alia against you, a member of the second defendant firm praying for a decree for Rs. 2,00,000 and interest thereon at 8½ per cent. per annum from the 3rd day of April, 1924, till payment and the costs of the suit and please take notice that the Bombay High Court has fixed the hearing of the above suit for the 23rd day of June, 1925.

Dated this 5th day of June, 1925.

MERWANJI KOLA & CO.,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Suit No. 2223 of 1924.
SHORT CAUSE.

Plaint presented and filed 1st day of June, 1924.

Summons to answer Plaint under Section 27 O. V, rr. 1, 5, 7 and 8 and O. VIII r 9 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

(1) YESHWANT ANNA KUNTE and (2) KRISHNAJI ANNA KUNTE, both of Bombay, Hindu inhabitants, residing at Girgaum Back Road, outside the Fort ..... Plaintiffs.

vs.

MAHADEO ANNA KUNTE, of Bombay, Hindu inhabitant, residing at Jog's Mill at Bijapur ..... Defendant.

GEORGE V, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, Greeting. Whereas the abovenamed Plaintiffs have filed a Plaint in this Court against you the abovenamed Defendant whereof the following is a concise statement, viz :—

The plaintiffs pray (a) that the defendant be ordered and decreed to execute the Reconveyance (b) that in case of default by the defendant to execute the same within such time as may be fixed by this Honourable Court, some Officer of the Court may be appointed to execute the said reconveyance and admit execution thereof and (c) that the defendant be ordered to pay the costs of this suit.

You are hereby summoned to appear in this Court on the 23rd day of June, 1925, a quarter past eleven o'clock standard time in the forenoon, in person or by an Advocate duly instructed by an Attorney of this Court and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or who shall be accompanied by some other person able to answer all such questions to answer the abovenamed Plaintiffs and as the day fixed for your appearance is appointed for the final disposal of the suit, you must produce all your witnesses on that day, and you are hereby required to take notice that in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence; and you will bring with you (or send by your Attorney) any document in your possession or power containing evidence relating to the merits of the Plaintiffs' case or upon which you intend to rely in support of your case.

Witness SIR LALLUBHAI ASHARAM SHAH, Knight, Ag. Chief Justice at Bombay, aforesaid this 4th day of June, 1924.

(Sd.) R. B. PATEL.
For Prothonotary.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.) R. B. PATEL.

The 4th day of July 1924.
Messrs. DAPHTARY, FERREIRA & DIVA
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
C23415

AUCTION SALES.

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130, Apollo Street, Fort.

TO-DAY SATURDAY, the 6th June at 3-30 p.m. (S. T.) Messrs. BENNETT & Co., will sell by Public Auction at their rooms the quantity of grey and coloured piece-goods, etc.

By order of the Chief Presidency Magistrate.

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TO-MORROW SUNDAY, the 7th June, 1925 at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.) Messrs. BENNETT and Co., are instructed to sell by Public Auction at "Gilbert Building" near Pabulnath Temple, Chowpati, very valuable and handsome household furniture of the latest design, large and small dining table, arm and without arm chairs, fancy sideboards, and dinner wagons, carpets, ice boxes, glass crockery and plated-ware, drawing room Chesterfield suites, drawing room suites of sofas and chairs, fancy cabinets, ornaments, revolving top writing tables, book and silver show cases, small and large writing tables, revolving book stands, reclining sofas, easy chairs, corner cabinets, single and double bedsteads, mirror almyrahs, dressing chest of drawers, cloth and gown presses teapoys, easy chairs, etc., etc.

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FIRSTLY :—All that piece or parcel of land together with the building standing thereon situate at Dongri Street, containing by admeasurement about 488 1-9 square yards and registered in Collector's books under old Nos. 1941-1985, New No. 6881, Old Survey Nos. 157-158 and New Survey No. 3811, and bounded on the North by the property of Khoja Rahim Premji Parpia, on the East by Dongri Street on the South by the Samuel Street and on the West by the property of Tricumdas Moranjee and assessed by the Bombay Municipality under B Ward Nos. 29-34 (2), (3), (4), and Street Nos. 496A-496B and 496C.

SECONDLY :—All that piece or parcel of land with the messuage, tenement and building standing thereon situate at Samuel Street containing by admeasurement about 1[illegible] square yards and bounded on the North and East by the property firstly described on the West by Samuel Street and on the South by the house of Tricumjee Mulji and assessed by the Bombay Municipality under B Ward No. 2977 and Street No. 233.

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By the order of the Mortgagees in possession and on account and at the risk of the Mortgagor Abdul Kayum Abdul Husein Pitalwalla of Turner Road, Bandra Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction TO-MORROW SUNDAY, the 7th June 1925 at 3 p.m. (S.T.) at Princess Theatre at Station Road, Surat, all the dresses, sceneries, furniture and made-to-order office furniture of Shri Arya Niti Darshaka Nataka Samaja, including all the furniture of the New Imperial Dramatic Co., at Ripon Theatre, Bombay, together with all the right and goodwill in 4 plays, three of them of the said New Imperial Dramatic Co., namely, "Ansiki Thani", "Kooni Sharab", "Gazi Salauddin" and one of them of the said Shri Arya Niti Darshaka Nataka Samaja, namely, "Pavitra Piyar."

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ARRIVALS.

June 5.

S S Clan Sinclair Keil, Durban.
S S Mandata, Kitson, Karachi.
S S Caledonia, Jenkins, London.
S S Jesolhon, Paschbury, Hamburg.
S S Bankura, Hall, Busrah.

DEPARTURES.

June 6.

S S Algic, Horton, New York.
S S Vinstra, Gionderson Calcutta.
S S Othello, Montomery: Hull.
S S Narkunda, Evans London.

LOADING.

June 5.

Steamer Caledonia for London.
Steamer Varsova for Busrah.
Steamer Flowergats for Rangoon.

S S Clan Sinclair.—The Turner Morrison and Coy's steamer Clan Sinclair 8890 tons Captain G A Keir arrived in Bombay harbour from Durban in ballast.

S S Mandala.—The B I S N Company's steamer Mandala 5189 tons, Captain Kitson arrived in Bombay harbour from Karachi with cargo and passengers.

S S Algic:—Volkart Bros. steamer Algic 3373 tons, Captain B. J. Horton will sail to-day from Bombay harbour for New York with local and same bottom cargo.

S S Vinstra:—Graham's T. Co's steamer Vinstra 2933 tons, Captin H H Geonderoon will sail to-day from Bombay harbour for Calcutta with local and same bottom cargo.

S S Jesrihon:—The steamer Jesrihon 2145 tons, Captain Paschbury, arrived in Bombay harbour from Hamburg with cargo.

S S Bankura:—The B I S N Company's steamer Bankura 1905 tons Captain C J. Hall arrived in Bombay harbour from Busrah with cargo and passengers.

S S Othello:—J. Finlay and Company's steamer Othello 3277 tons, Captain H Montgomery will sail to-day from Bombay harbour for Hull with local a same bottom cargo.

VESSELS IN BOMBAY DOCKS.

(FRIDAY, June 5.)

1 Tamba Maru 3553 Kobe 6/6 N Y Kaisha.
2 Narkunda, 9705, London, 6/6 M M & Co. ...
3 Scindia 3247 Liverpool 8/6 Grahams & Co.
4 Didderkerk 3174 Hamburg 5/6 E D S & Co.
5 Karapara 3772 Durban 10/6 M M & Co.
7 Sardinia 4106 China 16/6 M M & Co.
8 Genova 4217 Genova 15/6 L Triestine.
11 City of Harvard 4410 L'poo 8/6 K N & Co.
12 Tokushima Maru 4257 Japan 18/6 N Y Kaisha.
13 Tenerippa 4460 Dunkirk 5/6 Volkart Bros.
14 Algic 3373 New York, 5/6 Volkart Bros.
15 Misty Law 3260 N F N F.
16 Serbistan 1864, N.F. N.F Graham Tdg. Co.
17 Bingo Maru 3713 Kobe 10/6 O S Kaisha.
Caledonia 3359 London 20/6 M M & Co.

VICTORIA DOCK.

2 Othello 3277 Hull 4/6 Finlay and Co.
3 Bamora 1528 P. Gulf 10/6 M M & Co.
5 Koyei Maru 3306 Japan 6/6 O S Kaisha.
7 Alipore 3241 Japan 11/6 M M & Co.
8 John Ludi, Mowinckel 1723, N.F.N.F. C L Sajan & Co.
10 & 11 Hawrah 4096 N.F. N.F.
12/13 Vinstra 2933 Colombo, 5/6 Graham Tdg Co.
14 Bankura 1905 N. F. M M & Co.

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A Ahmedi 1331 P. Gulf 6/6 S Hassam & Co.
B Pasha 3196 Rangoon 10/6 T Morrison & Co.
C & R Cl. Macindal 2774, Tuticorin 10/6 J F & Co.
D & E Indus Maru 2705 Osaka 15/6 O S Kaisha.
F Akbar 2492 Red Sea Ports 3/6 T M & Co.
H Nourcel-Bahr 199 N.F. N.F. Merchant S N Co.
K Anfora 3590 N.F. N.F. L T & M IO N.Co.
M Neidenfels 1745 P Gulf NF, L Edwards Ld.
N Blairgowrie 1995 Antwerp N.F. T M & Co.
P Reichenfels 2919, Antwerp, 10/6 L Edwards.
Z/M Vita 1955 N F N F M M & Co.
G Umvaama 2785 Antwerp 4/6 Graham Tdg. Co.

LIST OF STEAMERS EXPECTED IN BOMBAY.

BRITISH MAIL STEAMERS.

Mantica due about 12th June Agent P & O S N Co.
Kaiser-i-Hind due about 19th June Agent P & O S N Co.
Naldera due about 26th June, Agent P & O S N Co.
Ranpura due about 3rd July Agent P & O S N Co.
Macedonia due about 10th July Agent P & O S N Co.
Clina due about 17th July Agent P & O S N Co.

FROM LONDON.

Domala due about 15th June, Agent M M and Co.
Nerbudda due about 29th June, Agent M M & Co.
Massilia due about 7th June, Agent Graham T Co.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Elysia due about 22nd June, Agent Graham T Co.
Circassia due about 6th July, Agent Graham T Co.
City of Baroda due about 14th June, Agent K N Co.
City of Venice due about 9th July, Agent K N Co.
City of Cairo due about 16th July, Agent K N Co.
Olympia due about 22nd July, Graham T Co.
Clan Mackay due about 11th June Agent J & Co.
Clan Ronald due about 2nd July Agent J F Co.
City of Newcastle due about 10th June, Agent K N Co.

FROM GOTHENBURG.

Ceylon due about 15th June, Agent L Edward Ltd.
Rena due about 6th July, Agent Graham T Co.
Nippon due about 27th July, Agent L Edward Ltd.
Tana due about 17th August, Agent Graham T Co.

FROM HAMBURG.

Drachenfels due about 10th June Agent L Edward Ltd.
Wildenfels due about 22nd June Agent L Edward Ltd.
Trantenfels due about 3rd July Agent L Edward Ltd.

FROM HULL.

Ariosto Hull due about 7th June, Agent J F Co.

FROM ROTTERDAM.

Kenderkirk due about 20th June, Agent E D Sassoon & Co.
Belderdyk due about 11th July, Agent E D Sassoon

FROM TRIESTE.

Tevere due about 18th June, Agent L T Co

FROM GENOA

Aquileia due about 1st July, Agent M Italiana.
Ganye due about 15th June Agent M Italiana.

FROM NEW YORK.

Kumeric due about 19th June, Agent F F Campbell & Co.
Kosino due about 23rd June, Agent F F Campbell & Co.
City of Adelside due about 18th July, Agent F F Campbell & Co.
Kasenga due about 31st July, Agent F F Campbell & Co.
City of Auckland due about 17th August, Agent F F Campbell & Co.

FROM KOBE.

Rangoon Maru due about 5th June, Agent N Y Kaisha.
Ceylon Maru due about 19th June, Agent N Y Kaisha.

FROM CHINA.

Kidderpore due about 27th June, Agent P & O S N Co.
Soudan due about 17th June, Agent P & O

EXPORT.

5-6-25.

S S Scindia for Philadelphia:—4 bales cotton waste, I A H Morse Ld.
For Marseilles:—4 cwt casings Ad Meyer.
For New York:—4 bales woollen carpets, R Shaw & Co. Ld.
For Liverpool—18 bales cotton N Sabbagh & Co. 3 bales wool, H R Rahmanbhai 24 bales Goat hair, H R Rahmanbhai.
S S Anfora for Genoa:—300 tons old iron and scrap, K H Nathoo.
S S Griqua for Hull:—2009 cwt linseed, E D Sassoon & Co. Ld.
S S Misty Law for Dundee—700 cwt linseed oil cake L Ebramji.
For Dunkirk:—55 bales cotton Japan Cotton T Co. Ld. 300 bales cotton F F Campbell & Co. Ld.
S S Genova for Genoa:—3000 cwt linseed, Louis Dreyfus & Co. 110 bales cotton Japan Cotton T Co. Ld.
S S City of Evanswik for Dunkirk:—220 bales cotton N Rajaram & Co.
S S Nagdunda for London:—12 bales wool len carpets Grindlay & Co. Ld.
S S Clan Sinclair for Hull—2000 cwt myrabolam, Purshotam Mathuradas & Co. Ld.
For Dunkirk:—2256 tons manganese ore, ...ames Finlay & Co. Ld. 5170 bales cotton F F Campbell & Co. Ld.
S S City of Harvard for New York:—4000 cwt castor seed Ralli Bros.
S S Serbistan for Leith:—500 cwt Dill seed, M A Imrat.
For Dunkirk:—4000 cwt ground nuts, E D Sassoon & Co. Ld. 1000 cwt linseed E D Sassoon & Co. Ld.
S S Othello for Hull:—4000 cwt linseed, Louis Dreyfus & Co.
S S Reichenfels for Hamburg:—4 Pots Palma rosa oil, Volkart Bros. 16 cwt casing Ad. Meyer.
For Bremen:—2000 cwt Gingelly seed Volkart Bros.
S S Mandata for Lon—10000 cwt linseed, David Sassoon and Co. Ld.
For Hull:—7900 bags cotton seed, Louis Dreyfus & Co.
S S Umvuma for Antwerp:—2000 cwt linseed Louis Dreyfus & Co. 501 cwt myrabolam, Kalyandas Bros.
For Barcelona—50 bales cotton Japan Cotton T Co. Ld.
S S Scordina for Shanghai:—500 bales cotton, Shamji Hemraj and Co. 11 bundles Fox skins M A Md. Sidiq Kapur 3000 bales cotton T M Kaisha Ld. 888 bales cotton Ralli Bros.
For Osaka:—150 bales cotton, Ralli Bros.
S S Indus Maru for Kobe—100 bale cotton G V Lanke.
For Osak:—400 bales cotton, T M Kaisha Ld.
For Yokohama—1000 bales cotton, T M Kaisha Ld.
S S Tamba Maru for Hongkong:—80 cwt, Jardaloo, Cheung Tai.
S S Alipore for Kobe—1000 bales cotton, Japan Cotton T Co. Ld. 500 bales cotton, G K Kaisha Ld. 1100 bales cotton T M Kaisha Ltd.
For Osaka:—1060 bales cotton, Japan Cotton T Co. Ld. 200 bales cotton Breul & Co.
S S Nagoya—400 bales cotton T M Kaisha Ld.
S S Bingo Maru for Kobe—1500 bales cotton T M Kaisha Ld.
For Osaka:—500 bales cotton T M Kaisha Ltd.
S S Tokushima Maru for Kobe:—500 bales cotton, Sassoon J David & Co. Ld. 400 bales cotton Breul & Co.
For Osaka:—200 bales cotton, Breul & Co.

IMPORTS.

5-6-25.

S S Axenfels from Hamburg. Agents:—Lionel Edward Ltd.:—
From Hamburg:—21 case China ware 13 cases steel ware, 28 cases hollow ware, 114 cases Padlocks; 28 cases clocks, 26 cases wire netting 24 cases varnish, 23 cases iron ware 1896 cases beer, 32 cases copper wire, 46 cases buttons 340 cases yellow metal sheets, 100 bundles yellow metal sheets 140 cases glass bangles 174 cases colour 45 casks colour 50 casks mercury oil, 811 cases white metal 10 cases soap, 57 cases hard ware, 31 cases enamelled ware 435 cases slates 2080 cases spirits 121 cases petrol lamps, 25 bundles petrol lamps 659 bales paper 42 cases paper, 1045 packages Hurrican lamps 50 cases package ...s, 253 842 cases hollow glass and ... plates, hollow glass and lamps, 259 casks galvd s. circles 191 crates earthen ware 165 cases earthen ware, 75 cases Tin boxes 242 D/bags caraway seed, 474 plates spiltar 50 kegs Bora 65 cases toys 172 cases hollow glass ware 32 cases chemical product 30 cases electric batteries 292 cases candles 5 cases ivory, 20 cases chinese blue 20 cases paper ware, 32 cases aluminium sheets 20 cases aluminium goods 115 cases stoves 28 cases imitation jewellery, 200 cases sparkler 15 cases tin spoons 10 cases cotton goods, 35 bags bicarbonate of soda 226 bags Teerago chips 261 bundles elatics 107 bundles steel bars 23 bundles steel sheets 200 cases steel tips 80 casks chrome alum 383 cases slate pencils 635 pieces steel plates, 140 bundles steel plates, 17 cases Aniline dyes, 20 drums bleaching powder 50 drum sodfd magnesium 47 cases tin hollow ware, 97 bundles tubes 475 pieces tubes, 350 D/bags Farina 40 rings Tyres, 25 D/bags Salt, 100 bags cummin seed 20 crates Soda water bottles 75 casks safety fuses 25 cases lanterns 108 bundles copper sheets 130 drums magnesium chloride 17 cases Nickel silver circles, 114 drums sodium sulphide 72 packages folding chair 20 drums zinc chloride 22 crates glass bottles, 24 cases yellow metal sheeting.

From Breman—633 cases beer 19 cases toys 10 cases stationary 5 cases ivory, 18 cases iron tools, 20 cases iron hinges 110 cases Round head rivets 220 cases aluminium circle 240 bundles sheets 498 bundles copper sheets 57 bundles copper rods, 864 crates soda water bottles 81 crate empty bottles 68 cases empty bottles, 22 cases iron ware 60 bundles iron ware 46 bundles copper bars 354 reels galvd barbed wire, 300 coils galvd fencing wire.

From Antwerp:—800 bundles steel rods, 884 bundles springs 891 bundles steel circles 3225 bundles steel hoops, 100 bundles copper sheets 100 bundles copper wire, 1826 bundles steel bars 8548 pieces steel bars 130 galvd steel plates 137 bundles galvd steel plate 253 bundles steel angles 1219 pieces steel angles, 328 pieces steel plates 2400 cases vegetable oil 376 cases window glass 56 cases wire 50 cases Pins 45 cases Earthenware 300 cases vegetable fats 70 cases clocks 60 cases shoe cream 37 cases Textiles tyrap, 140 cases wire nails 93 cases washing blue 49 cases paper, 98 packages paper 169 bundles paper, 94 bundles galvd tubes, 169 pieces galvd tubes, 552 pieces plate cutting 160 coils iron wire, 80 bales straw boards, 158 rolls wire netting 45 barrels chemicals 100 D/bags Farina 24 casks China clay 300 pairs wheels 200 rools barbed fencing wire, 220 drums sulphide of sodium 250 D/bags sulphide of soda, 40 bags borax 45 bundles expand metal sheets, 2089 bundles mild steel sheets 692 pieces mild steel sheets 250 casks copper sulphate 138 casks colours 146 cases 75 barrels colours 40 cases zinc sheets 85 bags common rivets 100 kegs chrome alum 2520 D/bags pearl maize starch, 200 casks Bichromake of soda 126 cases vegetable product 50 drums Acetic acid 72 cases bolts and nuts, 104 D/bags bolts and nuts, 365 cases bean, 20 kegs Aniline salt, 325 crates Eware tiles 45 cases cheese 42 cases screws 84 casks Iron Hinges 45 kegs hydrosulphite of soda, 100 coils Fencing wire 20 kegs Dyes, 20 drums dyes 25 crates cement sheets.

From Rotterdam:—36 cask colour, 40 casks Aniline salt, 250 case sheer 50 cases Aerated ware, 50 bases vegetable Fat 40 kegs dyes 102 casks dyes, 81 drums dyes, 141 cases dyes 21 bales paper.

BOMBAY COTTON MARKET.

BOMBAY MARKET.

COTTON.

June 5.

A further advance of 47 points in old crop and 57 to 61 points in new crop in New York futures has been reported today. The market advanced on considerable short covering. The tone of the market was strong. Liverpool has been reported 22 to 18 points up. The market improved on short-covering on reports of no rains.

Messrs. Umrigar and Vesugars' New York friends Messrs. A. Norden and Co. cable under date 4th Instant as under:—

"Market affected favourably by short covering. Higher prices possible.

The action of the American markets since the declaration of the Bureau Condition Report has been in an upward direction due especially to the fact of there being hot dry winds, and absence of rains in Texas, chiefly the Central portion which is now badly in want of rains. Part of the present strength is also responsible for the oversold state of the market which has naturally led to heavy short covering both by professional operators and speculators. Until the present droughty situation is relieved to some extent we are inclined to believe that the rise will be accentuated further.

The local market at the moment is simply guided by advices from Home and there seems to be no-active buying or selling pressure.

Following a further sharp advance reported from Home, the Marwari Bazaar opened this morning strong at Rs. 448 i.e. Rs. 4 1/2 higher than yesterday's closing rate for fully good M. G. Broach July/August. At the opening on moderate selling the values eased to Rs. 447. On Shroffs and Jobbers buying the prices recovered to Rs. 448 but again gave way to Rs. 445 1/2 on Bazar operators selling and closed at the same rate at 4-30 p.m. At Cotton Green the market opened at Rs. 447 and going up by half a rupee declined to Rs. 446 1/2 on selling by Bazar operators and closed steady at Rs. 447 at 6-30 p.m.

New fully good M. G. Broach April/May opened at Rs. 422 1/2 and declined to Rs. 420 1/2 on Commission Houses selling On Bazar operators and general buying the market recovered to Rs. 422 but again gave way to Rs. 420 and closed at the same rate at 4-30 p.m.

Fine M. G. Oomra December/January opened at Rs. 390 and gradually advanced to Rs. 392 on general buying and closed easier at Rs. 389 at 4-30 p.m.

Fully good M. G. Bengal July was quoted at Rs. 378 whilst December/January Bengal opened at Rs. 350 and closed easier at Rs. 346 on selling by Exporters.

Our market for ready cotton was steady yesterday. Japan Exporters were free buyers for nice Berar cotton, whilst millwalas were buying scantily about 7,000 bales were reported to have been sold.

QUOTATIONS. 6-30 P.M

Bombay, June 5.

Full Good Broach April/May ..	421
Fully Good Broach July/Aug. ..	447
Full Good Bengal Dec./January	345
" " Bengal July ..	375
Fine Oomra Dec,-January ..	390 1/2

SPOT QUOTATIONS.

Bombay June 5.

Description, Super-Fine.	Fine.	F. Good.	Good
M. G. Bengal and Sindh.			
Punjab	402	392	377	367
M. G. Kadi/Viramgaon	475	465	455	445
M. G. Dhullera ..	465	455	445	435
M. G. Punjab Americans	495	485	475	465
M. G. Broach ..	485	475	465	455
M. G. Southerns			450	440
			F. G. Fair.	430

E I. COTTON ASSOCIATION.

Bombay, June 5.

Full Good Broach April/May ..	421
Fully Good Broach July/August ..	447
Full Good Bengal Dec./January ..	351
Fully Good Bengal July ..	377
Fine Gomora Dec/January ..	391
Good Southerns June ..	432

READY APPROXIMATE QUOTATIONS.

Bombay, June 5.

		Ready average quality.	Ready Fine.
Bengal Superfine	M.G.	..	..
"	Fine M.G.	..	385/90
"	F.G.M.G.	370/75	..
Sindh Punjab	Fine M.G.	..	385.90
"	F.G.M.G.	370/75	..
Punjab Americans	M.G.	450/60	..
Wardha-Hingh.	Fine "	400.20	47080
Negpur ..	Fine M. G.	400/20	450
Yeotmal ..	Fine M.G.	390/400	440
Pulgaon ..	" "	400/20	440
Dhamangaon	" "	390/400	430
Amraoti ..	" "	340/75	420
Khamgaon-Akola	"	350/75	400/10
Mulkapur	" "	330/50	380/90
Khandesh	" "	325/35	365/75
"	FG.M.G.	..	..
Broach	Fine M.G.	..	470/75
" Fully Good	"	..	450/60
Muthia	Fine "	..	..
"	F.G.M.G.	..	..
Dharwar	S.G.	..	450
Coompta	M.G.	..	450/60
Westerns	"	..	380/420
"	H.G.	..	..
Miraj	M.G.	..	440/45
Cambodia		..	475/85

RECEIPTS

Bombay, June 5.

The following are the receipts of cotton produce etc., for the 48 hours ending 6 p.m. on 4th June 1925.

Cotton	15386 Bales
Wheat	29738 Owts

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL QUOTATIONS.

MESSRS. PATEL BROTHERS' REPORT

Bombay, June 5.

New York Market 4th June 1925.

Previous Close.	Delivery.	Last known prices in Liverpool.	Closing Prices.	Since previous close.
23.09	July	23.27+18	23.56	+47
22.35	Oct.		22.96	+61
22.15	Jan.	22.40+25	22.72	+57
22.41	Mar.		23.02	+61

New York Spot on 3rd June, 23.85 +50, New Orleans closed.

Telegraphic market advices:—July highest 23.72 2-36 p.m.). lowest 23.27 (10-54 a.m.), range 45 points. Market strong on heavy short covering.

Liverpool Market 4th June 1925.

Previous Close.	Delivery.	Opening Prices.	Prices at 1 p.m.	Closing Prices.	Since previous Close.
12.45	July	12.54+09	12.67+22	12.67	+22
11.94	Oct.	12.02+08		12.12	+18
11.81	Jan.			11.99	+18
11.82	Mar.			12.00	+18
	Egyptian,				
22.35	Nov.			22.75	+40
21.20	Jan.			21.60	+40

Telegraph market advices:—

(1) Cabled 10-05 a.m. Temperatures abnormally high. Weather too dry.

(2) Cabled 1-15 p.m.: Market firm owing absence of rains.

American Cross Rate 4.86.

P. CHRYSTAL & CO.

DAILY COTTON REPORT.

Bombay, June 5.

Bombay Quotations at 2-30 p. m.

Description.	Ready	J/Aug.	A/May
1924/1925 Crop			
Broach M. G. F G.	468/70	448	421
Oomra M. G. Fine	405/15		D/Jan
" M. G. Black leaf.	380/390		390
Bengal M. G. Fine	395/398		
" M. G. F. G.	381/85	379	350
Khandesh Black leaf*	345/360		
Khandwa/Sanavad	360/390		
Jalna/Aurangabad	345/375		
Harda	360/410		
Ujjain	350/400		
Parbhani Purna*	385/400		
Nander*	390/405		
Wardha/Warora	450/460		
Nagpur	460/470		
Katol	470/475		
A doni*	415/420		
Sindh/American	475/480		
Sangli/Miraj	445/450		
Bagalkot*	425/435		
Coompta	440/460		
Tirupur	495/500		
Kadi Viramgam M.G	440/450		
Dhollera* M.G.F.G.	435/40		

*No demand.

AMERICAN COTTON FIGURES.

F. P. Bales	1924-25	1923-24
Receipts to date 4-6-25	9202000	6641000
" Yesterday do	12000	8000
Exports to date do	7768000	5383000
Stock at Ports 29-5-25	543000	364000
" Interior Towns. do	336000	337000
" Liverpool do	918000	502000
Visible Supply 30-5-25	2255000	1441000
Quantity in Sight do	14231000	11015000

Receipts at Bombay.

Yesterday.	1924-25	1923-24	1922-23
15386	3265388	3109830	3814447.

Exports by rail from 1st Sept. to 28th May.

1924-25	1923-24
12943	19511

Total Stock in Bombay on 28-5-25 8,93,812 B/s. last year—8,47,720 B/s.

Total Shipments from 1st, Sept, to 1st June.

	1924-1925	1923-1924	1922-1923
Europe	568282	988692	661921
China	278165	197141	339726
Japan	1291950	1174710	1468826
Coast-Ports	27597	47523	44401
Total	2165994	2408066	2544874
Afloat in harbour			
Europe	12682	10533	3944
China Japan & Coast ports	45873	9295	65693
Silver	Gold	Govt Paper.	
72-3-0	21-6-6	68-10-0	

Remarks:—1-0 p.m. Yesterday there was a further advance in the home markets. New York closed 47/61 points up and Liverpool 22/18 up. This advante was probably due mainly to shorts covering and to reports of insufficient rain in the belt.

Here the local market opened with Broach at Rs. 448 1/4, and has since declined a Rupee or so with very little doing. We refer our friends to our Weekly Market Report for our detailed opinion of the market.

Sampin. Closed this morning at 308, 90, 307 60, and 305 90 for June, September and December respectively these rates being 3.70 2.80, and 4.00 up.

Ready Cotton. There was a good demand yesterday.

Marwadi Bazaar Fri. 3-30 p.m. Market:—Steady.

Broach July/August Rs. 445 1/2. A/May 1926 Rs. 419 1/2 Oomra D/January Rs. 389 1/2.

Bengal July, Rs. 378 D/January Rs. 349.

Linseed	38783	"
Rape etc.	9480	"
Gingellyseed	5071	"
Poppyseed	890	"
Groundnuts	5231	"
Castorseed	3977	"
Rice	83797	"
Myrabollams	3996	"
Cottonseed	32926	"
Mowraseed	Nil	"
Gram	5425	"
Juwar	294	"
Masur	Nil	"
Barley	761	"
Bajri	638	"
Coal	3439	Tons

BREUL & CO.'S MARKET REPORT.

EAST INDIA COTTON.

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY.

Bombay, June 5

In full-pressed Bales	2 Days This year	Since 1st September Last year
Khandesh ..	361	287,038	336,943
Central India	1,565	320,011	299,208
Barsi and Nagar	727	195,309	197,628
Hyderabad-Gaorani	60	94,591	101,745
Berar	768	556,206	633,938
Central Provinces ..	93	252,382	258,720
Total Oomras ..	3574	1,707,507	1,828,182
Dholera	3,552	250,830	167,925
N.W. Provinces	..	129,913	121,036
Rajputana ..	562	69,375	82,619
Sind-Punjab	193	354,065	302,976
Broach ..	1555	472,557	304,771
Coompta & Dharwar	4,933	123,388	157,258
Westerns-Northerns	1012	67,522	72,171
Ceconada ..	4	1,275	382
Tinnevelly and Cambodia	—	27,633	25,604
Persian	—	4,125	7,222
American	—	9,649	2
Egyptian and African	—	44,130	38.863
Comilla, Burma & other sorts	—	3,487	819
Total	15,386	32,65,378	31,09,8 30

EXPORTS FROM BOMBAY.

In full-pressed Bales	Yesterday	1st Sept. to 28th May. This year.	Last year
Europe	3,583	551,118	963,912
Japan & China	6,550	1,542,046	1,345.444
Coast Ports	—	26,595	47,420
Upcountry by Rail.	—	12,943	19,122
Afloat in harbour for Europe, China and Japan	—	77,406	47,459
Total	10,133	2,210,108	2,423,357

COTTON

Liverpool, June 4.

Total Day's Sales at Liverpool 5,000.
Total Day's Sales on Spec. & for Exp 100.
Total Day's Sales of East Indian 300.
Mid American Spot.—
Universal Standard 1348 quiet.
Egyptian F.G.F. Sakellaridis 3130.
New York 11 a.m. (As known in Liverpool at closing time.)

July	23.33
Oct	22.62
Jan	22.41
New York Noon Call 12/45	
July	23.38
Oct	22.70
Jan	22.50
New Orleans 10 a.m. 10/55	
July	23.60
Oct	22.23

OPENING TONE AND PRICES.

Liverpool, June 4.

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES.—

July	12.54+.09
October	11.99+.05
January	11.88+.07
March	11.91+.09

Liverpool, June 3.

Exchange on Belbium 10.055.
Exchange on Athens not received.
Cuban Sugar June/July sellers 12 5/8.

Liverpool, June 4.

Opening Egyptians July 27.90.

CLOSING PRICES

Liverpool, June 4.

June	12.76+.22
July	12.67+.22
Aug	12.49+.21
Sep	12.30+.18
Oct	12.12+.18
Nov	12.03+.18
Dec	12.01+.18
Jan	11.99+.18
Feb	11.98+.17
Mar	12.00+.18
Apl	11.98+.17
May	11.98+.18
June	11.95+18

Tone:—Quiet.

EGYPTIAN COTTON CLOSING PRICES

Liverpool, June 4.

June	29.80+.60
July	28.30+.60
Aug	27.10+.60
Sep	25.95+.60
Oct	25.05+.60
Nov	22.75+.40
Dec	22.30+.40
Jan	21.60+.40
Feb	21.45+.40...
Mar	21.30+.40
Apl	21.25+.40
May	21.20+.40

INDIAN COTTON.

Liverpool, June 4.

Scinde good	9.35
Fully good	9.75
Fine	10.15
Bengal good	9.45
Fully good	9.85
Fine	10.25
Oomra good	10.15
Fully good	10.55
Fine	10.95
Broach good	10.75
Fully good	11.15
Fine	11.55

LIVERPOOL COTTON STATISTICS.

London, June 4.

Total Actual Export 1,000 Bales.
Total Forwarded consumers 33,000 Bales.
Total Imports 30,000 Bales.
Total Stock 918,000 Bales.
Actual Weekly Sales 14,270 Bales.
Water Twist not received.
Printers Cloth not received.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

COTTON.

New York, June 4.

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports 12,000.
Doy's Exports to Great Britain 5,000.
Day's Exports to Continent 12,000.
Futures at New York.—

July	23.56+.47
October	22.96+.61
January	22.72+.57
March	23.02+.61

Spot Cotton at New York 24.35—.50.
Spot Cotton at New Orleans 24.60+1.00.
Futures at New Orleans.—

July	23.86—.08
October	22.60—.19

Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 puality) 21.
Demand Bills 48,562.
Silver Commercial Bars 68 1/2.

CLOSING PRICES.

AMERICAN COTTON MARKET.

New York, June 4.

FUTURES AT NEW YORK.—

July	23.56+.47
October	22.96+.61
January	22.72+.57
March	23.02+.61

COTTON DELIVERY MID. PULANDS

Liverpool, June 4.

G. O. C. LIVERPOOL.—

July	12.67+.22
October	12.12+.18
January	11.99+.18
March	12.00+.18

CABLE FROM A. NORDEN, AND CO.

Ratilal and Co's Telegraphic Market information Messrs. Ratilal and Co., cotton cabin Mumbadevi have received on Friday the following cable from their Friends Messrs. A. Norden and Co., of New York:—

"Short principal buyers, may go somewhat further."

SHARES

London, June 4.

Honkong Bank £141 1/2.
Chartered Bank £20 3/8.
National Bank £47 1/2.
P. and O. Bank 10 7/8.
Eastern Bank £6 3/16.

London, June 4.

The Bank of England Returns for the week ending yesterday show the following results.

Total Bullion £156,500,000. Dec. 200,000.
Public Deposits £11,600,000. £4,200,000.
Other Deposits 114,100,000 Inc £7.400,000.
Government Securities £43,000,000. Dec. 6,000,000.
Other Securities £73,100,000. Dec 1,900,000.
Notes andt Gold £27,400,000 £ Dec. 9,00,000.

The Bank Reserve 21.7 per cent of the liabilities.

METALS

London, June 4.

English best Selected Copper £62 3/4.
Standard Copper G.M.B. £59 15/16.
Copper Braziers £77 1/2.
Yellow Metal 7 1/2.
Hard Spelter 30 1/4.
Corrugated Sheets £16 3/8.
Tin Block 250 3/4.

BRASS.

Bombay, Jane 5, per md. Rs. a.

Brass English	3/4	65	2
BrDo	1	62	0
Do	1 1/4	62	0
Do	1 1/2	62	0
Do	1 3/4	62	0
Do	2	620	0

COPPER.

Bombay, June 5.

	per md.	Rs.	a.	p.
Copper German	3-4	66	0	0
Copper	1	66	0	0
Copper	1 1-4	64	12	0
Copper American ..	1 1-2	65	0	0
Copper	1 3-4	65	0	0
Copper	2	65	0	0
Japanese Copper Bars ..	..	62	0	0
Panchteka Joint ..	..	27	0	0
Copper, English Bars ..	..	61	0	0
Brass Bars	..	39	4	0
Pat Klai	..	67	0	0
Lead, Country	..	25	0	0
Koger Brass, Metal 3-4	..	56	0	0
" " to 1 ..	..	55	12	0
" " 1-1-4 to 1-1-2, 1-3-4 to 2		55	12	0
German Copper 1 1-2 to 1-3-4 to 2		64	12	0
American Copper 3-4 to 1,	..	66	0	0
" " 1-1-4	—	65	0	0

WHEAT

London, June 4.

Barletta Russo—63 1/2 lbs. 61/3 June/July sellers.

Rozario Santa Fe—64 lbs. 62/3 June/July sellers.

Tone:—Inactive lower.

Australian 60/8 June£/July sellers.

Choice White Karachi 61/6 June/July value.

Soft Red Karachi 60/6 June/July value.

Tone:—Inactive lower.

LINSEED

London, June 4.

Linseed Calcutta Pure Basis Bags £22 3/8 J/J sellers.

Tone:—Very slow demand—shippers above market prices.

Raw Linseed Oil Naked Spot Net:—
44 3/4 July/August sellers.
44 3/4 Sep/Dec Done and Buyers.

Linseed La Plata Argentinte £20 1/2 June/July Paid—rather steadier.

Tone:—Poor demand.

Linseed Bombay £23 3/8 J/J London sellers.

Cottonseed Bombay £10 1/16 J/J sellers easier.

Castorseed Bombay £23 1/4 J/J sellers.

Business was done to-day in Linseed La Plata Argentine at 20 1/2 June/July to Hull and £20 5/8 for July/August.

Rapeseetd Toria at £22 1/2 J/J to Hull.

RAPESEED

London, June 4.

Rapeseed Ferozepore Usual Bold £22/- J/J sellers.

Rapeseed Toria £ 22 1/2 J/J Hull Paid

Rapeseed Yellow Guzerat £23 3/8 J/J sellers.

Rapeseed Brown Cawnpore £21 3/4 J/J quoted.

Rapeseed Yellow Cawnpore £23 1/4 J/J continent sellers.

Tone:—Fully Steady.

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Exclusive Agents for the East.

Kanta Building, Kalbadevi Road, BOMBAY.

MONEY MARKET.

EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

Bombay, June 5.

B. C. RATE—
Bank's selling T T 1/5 15/16.
Bank's selling D D 1/5 31/32.

LONDON—
Bank's selling T T 1/5 31/32
Bank's selling D D 1/6
Bank's buying 3 M/st D A 1/6 2/32.
Bank's buying T T 1/6 1/32.
Bank's buying D D 1/6 1/16.

PARIS—
Bank's selling D D Frcs. 71.
Bank's buying 3 M/st D D Frcs 775
Bank's buying D D Frcs. 76.

JAPAN—
Bank's selling T T Rs. 113.
Bank's buying 60 D/st D P Rs. 109.

HONGKONG—
Bank's selling D D Rs. 154.

SHANGHAI—
Bank's selling D D Rs 210.

SINGAPORE—
Bank's selling D D Rs. 158¼.

NEW YORK—
Bank's selling D D Rs. 275.

CROSS RATES—
London—New York Dol. 4.86.
London—Paris Frcs. 98.65.
London—Switzerland Frcs. 25.10
London—Brussels Frcs. 101.00.
London—Rome Liras 122.00.

TONE OF EXCHANGE—
Exchange Market was steadi

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3 Mos London Discounts 4
6 Mos. London Discounts
Bank of England Rate 5 p
Money Call 5-1/2 per cent
Money 1 Mos 5 per cent.
Money 3 Mos. 4 1/2 per
Money 6 Mos. 4 1/2 per cent.
Tone of Money market.—Steady.
Imperial Bank of India Rate 6 per cent.

London, June 4.

Tele. Transfers steady /6.
Bar Gold steady £4/4 11 1/2.
Bar Silver Spot dull 1/2.

EXCHANGE ON CONTINENTAL CENTRES MIDDLE QUOTATIONS.

Stockholm 1817.
Chritiania 2896.
Amsterdam 1209.
Switerland 2508.

New York June 4.

Exchange on London in Paris 9885.
Exchange on London in Germany 2040 7/8.
Exchange on London in Italy 12120.

London, June 4.

Demand Bills 485.4

DISCOUNTS

London, June 4.

Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st 4 3/8.
Discount Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st 4 5/8
Discount Fine Trade Bills 3 m/st 5 3/8.
Discount Fine Trade Bills 6 m/st 5 3/4.
Rentes 5 per cent 15 5/8.

STOCKS ETC.

London, June 4.

Funding Loan 4 per cent 1960/90 £87 3/8
Victory Bonds 4 per cent £91 1/4—1/8.
War Loan 5 per cent 1929/47 99 13/16—1/8.
Conversion Loan 5 1/2 per cent 76 3/16—1/16.
Indian Loan 5 1/2 per cent £101 7/8.
Indian Loan 7 per cent 105.
Consals 2 1/2 per cent 56 Ex—1/8.
Indian Stock 3 1/2 per cent (Sterling Loan) 66 1/4 Ex
Government Securities 3 per cent 57 1/4 Ex—1/8.

BULLION.

Bombay, June 5.

Sovereigns Ready 13-10-0
Sovereigns Forward 13-8-0.
English Bar Bold 10 oz. 21-11-6.

Bar gold ready, Rs. 21-6-3.
Bar gold forward, Rs. 21-6-3.
Bar gold 2nd settlement Rs. 21-7-3.
Bar silver ready Rs. 71-4.
Bar silve rlst settlement Rs. 71-14.
Bar silver 2nd settlement Rs. 71-11.

London, June 4.

Bar gold ready s. 84-11 1/2.
Silver ready d. 31-8.
Silver forward, d. 31-9.

TONE OF SILVER—
Dull. China sold forward. India bought. Case not overstrong, forward weak.

BULLION BARS

Sold £28,000.

London, June 4.

Rentes 3 per cent 44 1/2.
Bar Silver (Spot) 31 1/2.
Bar Silver 2 months hence 31 9/16.
Closing Tone of Silver:—China selling India and Speculators small buyers.
Closed dull.
Interest day to day loans 3 5/8.

Interest 7 days market loans 3 3/4.
Discount, Bank of England Rate 5 since 5th March 1925.

GOLD.

Bombay, June

Ready:—21-6-6

Vaida.	Opening.	Highest	Lowest	At 6 p.
Jeth	21-6-9			21-6
Asod	21-7-9			21-7

Teji Mandi,
Asod 0—3—0
Tone:—Market Very Quiet,

SILVER.

Bombay, June,

Ready:—71-12-0

Vaida.	Opening	Highest	Lowest	At 6 p.
Jeth	71-10-0	71-13-0		71-13
Asad	71-9 0	71-8-0		71-10

Teji Mandi.
Jeth 0—0—0
Asad 1—2—0
Tone—Market Steady at the Fall,

SILVER REPORT

London, June

Mocattas silver report says that dering holidays, market has been much more active. To-day on little profit-taking. There was slight reaction. Rise was almost entirely due to China buying. Disturbance in Shanghai are causing demand for silver from that quarter. Large purchases have been made not only in London but also in New York and San Francisco and market had undertone. India showed little interest in rise except for covering few small sales. It depends very much upon China whether present level will be maintained.

Immediate tendenoy consequently is rather uncertain.

It is possible that we may see further slight set-back.

RUBBER

London, June

Para Up River Fine, Spot 27/- July/Aug sellers.

Tone:—Firm.

Plantation First Latex Crepe, Spot 34/3 June Paid Sellers.

Tone:—Firm on trade orders and to speculative buying closing quiter.

Ribbed smoked sheet 38/- June paid buyers.

BARLEY

London, June 4.

Karchi Barley Not quoted.

FREIGHT OF COAL

Cariff to Bombay 14/3 to 14/6.

SUGAR MARKET REPORT.

Bombay, June 5.

We have a very quiet and dull market report during the week, as with the unexpected early monsoon the demand for ready sugars has fallen off and with great pressure to sell prices both for read and forward have been reduced by eight annas and 4d. respectively with very few Buyers. Karachi reported a very quiet market and the prices for forward positions were 6d. to 8d. lower than Bombay, a small quantity was sold and transfered to the market and July/September was done at 15s. 3 1/2d. and 15s. 4d. Free Bombay Harbour. A small quantity was bought back by Importers in October/December at 15/6 F. B. H. There was no direct business to report. Calcutta ruled quiet with no business. Java reported a steady market at the decline with continent buying London and America were quiet but steady with small fluctuations.

The following are the Bazar rates and stocks:—

T. M. O. June s.15/6 F. B. Harbour.
T. M. O. July/September s.15/3 F. B. Harbour.
T. M. O. October/December s.15/6 F. B. Harbour.
T. M. O. January/March s.15/9 F. B. Harbour.
B. R. B. Rs. 16/12/0.
Mauritius Rs. 16/8/0.
Stocks 1,500 Bags.
Stocks 60,000 Bags.

JAVA SUGAR

London, June

Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta June/July sellers.

Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta July/Sep sellers.

Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta 15 4 1/2 Oct/Dec sellers.

Fine White Java C. & F. Bombay Oct/Dec sellers.

Fine White Java C. & F. Karachi 15 7 3/4 Oct/Dec sellers.

BOMBAY MARKETS

WEEKLY REVIEW.

COTTON.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

During the week under review Home markets have been fluctuating but on the whole show a moderate advance both in Liverpool and New York as compared with last week. Early the market was steady; in the middle of the week the market gave way on Wall St. and speculative and Commission Houses selling, but again improved on shorts covering and trade buying at the close.

The session immediately following our last weekly report saw no marked fluctuations in values although upto that day of the publication of the first Government Bureau Report, the American markets distinctly showed a bearist feeling and prices moved somewhat further under the influence of short selling as a result of continued favourable weather outlook. Nevertheless the very next day after the report was out i.e. on the 3rd inst., the New York market, to our utter surprise, showed an improvement of about 50 points in the near position from the previous day's drop of 35 points. The reason for this sudden rise according to cables to hand from that side, has been principally due to absence of rains in several parts of Texas and Oklahoma, although partly responsible for the oversold state of the market.

The principal event of the week was the issuance of the Official Weather Report which made its appearance here on Wednesday last showing the condition of the crop as at 76.6 per cent, a scompared with last year's figure of 65.8 per cent. The report in itself seems to be materially higher than anticipated, but the consequent influence on price was not very material, as the depreciation in values, which had been steadily going on for the past few weeks, had discounted to a very large extent the effect of the figure. Of later years the efforts of private bodies to estimate the condition, in advance of the official publication, have had a tendency to minimise any sensational effect that might come from the official publication.

Trade reports from Manchester have run very much on the same lines as indicate last week, and owing to the weakness displayed in the price of the raw material, trade does not show any signs of revival as yet. Spinners as a whole have adopted a waiting attitude and have not felt inclined to take up any commitments until they have received more information about the crop.

The demand for American spot cotton indicates that a large amount of business has been done during the week. It has been announced that the business was mainly attributed to merchants covering against contracts, but we are inclined to believe that a large proportion has been put through for the trade itself should the market maintain around current prices, a good demand would no doubt be noticeable for actual cotton.

In conclusion, we would say that whilst we fully realise that it is not the moment to take too optimistic a view of the future course of prices, preferring to await developments in the critical month before doing so yet at the same time we cannot counsel short sales but rather prefer, on any declines brought about by reports of crop improvement to buy cotton, feeling sure that on the occurrence of bad news, which will almost certainly come to hand from time to time purchases made on flat days will be able to be liquidated satisfactorily to the buyer.

Concerning the local market there is nothing of importance to report and what fluctuations have taken place have been almost entirely due to advices received from Home markets. Business has been restricted to Export Houses chiefly Japan and Bazar Operators, dealing here have made a very good start and prospects in this respect so far as we can judge at the moment go to show a promising outlook. Should we have beneficial rains we expect to see a gradually sagging tendency in prices here.

The demand for ready cotton has been good and nice lots are readily taken up by Exporters for their immediate requirements.

The following were the changes in the Home markets as compared with last week :—

	last week	this week
New York July	23.02—23.56	+54
New York October	22.46—22.96	+50
New York January	22.25—22.72	+47
New York March	22.49—23.02	+53
Liverpool July	12.36—12.67	+31
Liverpool October	11.94—12.12	+18
Liverpool January	11.81—11.99	+18
Liverpool March	11.82—12.00	+18

LOCAL FORWARD MARKET.

Fully Good M. G. Broach July-August opened on the 29th ultimo at Rs. 444 and improved to Rs. 442 on Commission Houses and Shroffs buying. On Bazar Operators selling the prices eased to Rs. 440. On the 30th ultimo the Bazar opened at Rs. 438 and gradually declined to Rs. 433 on selling by Commission Houses and Bazar Operators. On the 1st inst. the market opened at Rs. 432 and fluctuated between Rs. 434 and Rs. 433. On the 2nd inst. the Bazar opened at Rs. 432 and gradually advanced to Rs. 435 and buying by Commission Houses and Shroffs. In response to a moderate decline in New York futures on the 3rd inst., the market opened easier at Rs. 431 and going down by a rupee on Commission Houses selling improved to Rs. 435 on free buying by one Japanese House. On the 4th inst. the market opened strong at Rs. 441 in sympathy with a sharp advance in New York futures and advanced to Rs. 443 on Commission Houses buying and closed at Rs. 443.

F. G. Broach April-May opened at Rs. 413 on the 1st inst., and declined to Rs. 412 on Exporters and general selling. On buying by Exporters and Exporting Houses the prices improved to Rs. 416 but again declined to Rs. 409 on selling by Commission Houses. Rs. 409 on selling by Commission Houses. Arundel then level one Japanese firm and Commission and Exporting Houses were buyers which raised the values to Rs. 418 and the market closed at Rs. 418 on the 4th instt.

Fine Oomra Dec-January opened on the 1st inst., at Rs. 378 and improved to Rs. 382 on Commission Houses and Shroffs buying. From this level the prices gave way to Rs. 376 on Commission Houses selling but again improved to Rs. 378 and the market closed at Rs. 380. On the 4th inst. F. G. Bengal July opened on the 29th ultimo at Rs. 377 and closed on the 4th inst. at Rs. 376 the highest being Rs. 378 and the lowest Rs. 366. Whilst Fine Bengal December-January opened on the 1st inst. at Rs. 350 and closed on the 4th inst. at Rs. 348 the highest being Rs. 350 and the lowest Rs. 338.

PIECE-GOODS.

Nothing fresh has transpired in the cloth market during the past week. The tone has been very quiet and disappointing owing to the absence of demand, and a declining tendency has been noticeable. The chief causes of the present depression in the piece-goods trade are (1) the want of financial facilities; (2) the reduction of capital owing to heavy losses incurred; (3) the lack of confidence in the present level of prices; (4) the failures of merchants in Calcutta and Karachi; (5) the heavy accumulation of stocks here as well as in the sister markets; (6) the forced sales made by needy merchants; (7) the uncertainty regarding the future course of the monsoon; (8) the dumping of Japanese goods in the Bombay market; (9) the sales made by the Local Mills at reduced rates; (10) the talk of Lancashire to regain the lost trade by reducing the costs of production, whereby lower prices have been anticipated here; (11) the weakness displayed by some Lancashire makers who are in want of work, as their engagements are running down; (12) the favourable news regarding the American coton crop, the acreage of which has been definitely increased and the production is expected to be 15,000,000 to 16,000,0000 bales; (13) the curtailment of the credit system; (14) the crisis in the Bombay Share Bazaar; (15) the anxiety of the importing firms to dispose off their own account purchases even at lower rates; and (16) the uncertainty as regards the course of the rate of exchange. Owing to the above causes, cloth at the moment seems to have no friends and until some support is forthcoming from any direction, values will be further depressed. If the monsoon turns out to be favourable hopes may be entertained for some improvement, but at the moment merchants are anxious sellers, and are willing to give fair concessions to buyers for lots of quantity. Some merchants, who have experience of long standing, fear that several shops will have to close down during the Divali occasion, the trade being quite unprofitable, and the capital of several merchants having been wiped off by the heavy losses incurred during the last few years.

In Grey Shirtings of Manchester make, the 44 inches by 38 yards styles similar to Japanese calender finish have been easier by eight annas per piece. There is not much demand for 45, 48 and 51 inches by 38 yards Gold End Grey Shirtings stocks of which have accumulated and further shipments are expected in the near future at lower rates. Drills and Jaconets have remained steady with very little doing. White Shirtings have not been in request even at the lower prices, several styles of White Mulls have declined in values by two to four annas per piece. White Nainsooks have also been easier to the extent of two annas per piece. Owing to the absence of business, no opportunity has been offered to test the prices of Japanese cloths, which have remained nominally steady.

The Manchester cloth market has been closed owing to Whitsuntide Holidays. The United States Government Agricultural Bureau Report gives the figure regarding the conditions of the American cotton crop at 76.6, which compares favourably with 65.6 of last year, and is also above the general expectations. Some operators are very bearish in their views and there is talk of 10cl. cotton. Some leading shippers in Manchester are reported to have bought light cloths suitable for India in fair quantity on speculation and it is left to be seen how they will fare with these purchases. Makers and shippers have been anxious to keep up to contract time with deliveries, lest the goods may be cancelled if late, being booked at higher prices.

Local Mill cloths have been dull in the absence of demand and a declining tendency has been visible. There is no confidence in present prices, owing to the accumulation of stocks and the further addition of the regular output of the Mills. The question of excise duty and the rate of exchange have been brought to the for as the causes of the depression in competition with Lancashire and Japanese cloths, but no heed has been given to the proper remedy of curtailment of production by working short time systematically until the stocks are appreciably reduced.

The quotations for the leading chops of Grey and Whites are as under :—

GREY SHIRTINGS—

	Ins.	Yds.	Rs.	a.	p.
Ralli's Fari No. 200039	3 1/4/38		12	6	0
„ 100,000	..45×	„ ..	15	0	0
„ No. 33,000	..45×	„ ..	13	12	0
„ No. 2800	..37×	„ ..	11	6	0
„ No. 4545	..38×38	..	11	8	0
„ No. 15000	..44×38	..	12	0	0
„ No. 16000	..	„ ..	12	8	0
„ No. 17000	..	„ ..	13	0	0
Graham's No. 2730	39	„ ..	12	0	0
„ No. 2750	..45	„ ..	15	0	0
„ Yellow Horse	43×39	..		..	
„ No. 2310	..44×38	1-2..		..	
Dewhursts BBB	..38×38	1-2..	19	8	0
„ BB ..	..38×38	1-2..	17	0	0
„ Rupee No. 5	38×38	1-2..	16	0	0
Ritchie's No. 510	..39×37	1/2/38	12	0	0
„ No. 4462	..41×	„ ..		..	
Lyon's Shunker	..39×	„ ..	12	0	0
Fleming's 1904-1906	45,48,51×38		18	0	0

GREY DRILLS—

Peppercell's Dragon	29×40 Net		20	12	0
Ralli's Musjid No. 425	26×40		15	0	0

GREY JACONETS—

Ralli's No. 18	..45×22	..	7	14	0
„ No. 18	..40×22	..	7	0	0
„ No. 138	..40×22	..	6	11	0
„ No. 636	..44×22	..	7	0	0

WHITE SHIRTINGS—

Liepman's No. 1500	32×42	..	24	0	0
H. B. T. C. 40000	..36×40	..	28	0	0
Ralli's No. 9889	..33×40	..	18	0	0

WHITE MULLS..

Ralli's No. 6	..41×19	..	7	15	0
„ No. 60	..46×19	..	8	11	0
„ No. 600	..51×19	..	9	7	0
„ No. 6000	..56×19	..	10	15	0
„ No. 88	..58×20	..	8	2	0
„ No. 1270	..27×18	..	3	10	0
„ No. 166	..39×20	..	8	2	0
„ No. 818	..39×20	..	8	4	0
„ No. 1440	..36×20	..	5	6	0
„ No. 5552	..42×20 Net			..	
„ No. 2755	..42×20 Net			..	
„ No. 1703	..52×20 Net		15	4	0
„ No. 224	..44×20	..	7	2	0
Ritchie's No. 1260	27×18	..	3	10	0
„ No. 119	..37×18	..	4	8	0
„ No. 229	..42×18	..	5	0	0
„ No. 339	..47×18	..	5	8	0
„ 1K-4K38",43"48"53×18Avg.			5	14	0
„ No. 95	..58×20	..	8	0	0
„ No. 66999	..40×18	..	5	8	0
„ No. 86999	..40×18	..	6	0	0
„ No. 775	..40×18	..	6	0	0
„ No. 875	..45×18	..	6	8	0
„ No. 975	..50×18	..	7	0	0
„ No. 615	..50×18	..	7	0	0
Graham's Balloon	..58×20	..	8	0	0
Greaves' No. 5060	27×18	..		..	
Flemings No. 8080	..26×18	..	3	0	0

WHITE NAINSOOKS—

Ralli's No. 7070-9090	27×18	..	4	6	0
„ No. 61-81	..	..	4	2	0
„ No. 1850	.. „	..	3	10	0
„ No. 1900	.. „	..	3	12	0
„ No. 2600	.. „	..	3	14	0
„ No. 21021	.. „	..	4	9	0
„ No. 39620 T. B.	38×22	..	6	12	0
Graham's Nos. 88-8888	28×18	..	5	4	0
„ No. 95959-97970 Saraswati	..38×18	..	8	8	0
„ Tipoo W/WWW	34×18	..	6	2	0
„ No. 50000	.. „	..	6	10	0
„ No. 33340/33350/33360			7	2	0
Lyon's No. 4545-5656 6767	..26×18	..	4	2	0
Greaves' No. 30000-50000	„	..		..	
„ No. 8000 T. B.	38×22	..		..	
Ritchie's Nos. 3500-4510 5520	..26×18	..	4	2	0
S. W. and Co's. Nos. 5800-5820 "Motor Car"	..	..	4	1	0

The above quotations are on Bazaar terms with discount of three and a half per cent on Grey and four per cent on White Goods.

JAPANESE GREY CLOTHS—

No. 666 Shirtings	..38×38	..Net	12	0	0
„ AAA 17 lbs.	..36×40	.. „	..		
„ 2500 Shirtings	36×40	.. „	17	8	0
„ 5151 „	..44×38	.. „	..		
„ 4141 „	..44×38	.. „	11	6	0
„ 5544 „	..44×38	.. „	11	6	0
„ 3800 „	..44×38	.. „	19	4	0
"C." Sheetings	..30×36	Ex. Bond	3	4	0
"9" Dragons	..30×36	Ex. Bond	3	4	0
"Elephant" Drills	..29×40	.. „	16	12	0
"Duck" Drills	..26×40	.. „	15	8	0

YARN MARKET.

Bombay, June 3.

The most important factor effecting the Yarn Market during the week under review is the publication of the American Bureau report on Wednesday morning as a result of which our Market has taken distinctly easy turn and prices have been easier about quarter of an anna per lb allround. The Crop estimate being rather more favourable the cotton rates have gone down further and Yarns have declined in sympathy with the same owing to absence of satisfactory demand in the Local Market as well as in the Upcountry Markets. The inquiry there is for all kinds of yarns but the rates offered are much too low and in very many cases are rather absurd. Owing to continuous decline since very long as the consequent loss of confidence dealers are not at all inclined to effect any purchases in decent lots and buying therefore from the Mills has been much restricted. As a result stocks have been accumulating with the Mills and they are naturally anxious to part of their stocks at a fairly reasonable price. Some of them being pressed for money are inclined to dispose of their stocks at somewhat lower rates, but the buyers are difficult to find at the moment.

English Yarns.—Manchester is reported to be slightly easy but the rates quoted are very high and unworkable. Stocks with the dealers are small but there seems to be no chance of forward business unless the rates are considerably lowered on the other side.

Japanese Yarns.—The firmness that was noticed last week in Japan has given way to, a certain extent probably owing to the Bureau report and the latest advices from Japan are somewhat easy. Forward business has been done in small quantities during the week owing to the buyers ideas being rather lower and also due to the decline in prices for forward delivery due to large arrivals and restricted offtake.

Indian Yarns.—The outlook is still easy and although prices have further declined by about quarter of an anna per lb. the demand has not been showing any improvement as the buyers all along believe that there should be a substantial reduction in prices before any satisfactory buying can in evidence. As a matter of act they are afraid of the daily accumulating stocks in the Mills in proportion to their restricted offtake and they are under the impression that the Mills will have to sell their stocks sooner or later at the market rate in as much as they will be pressed for Finance and will be obliged to find out buyers for large quantities at lower rates. It remains to be seen what course the market will take in the next few days but it is pretty certain that at the moment the prices seem to be easy and here is every chance in favour of the buyers.

The general condition of the market is rather depressed and as the offtake is much restricted we are afraid the prices will have to go down further in the next few days unless of course there is satisfactory improvement in demand.

BOMBAY-CHINA YARN MARKETS. DAILY QUOTATIONS.

	Bombay, June 5, per lb.	Rs.	a.	p.
Kilachand ..	.. No. 14 1/2	0	11	6
Kilachand ..	.. No. 20 1/2	0	12	6
Currimbhai ..	.. No. 12 1/2	0	11	9
Elphinstone ..	.. No. 12 1/2	0	11	6
David ..	.. No. 10 1/2	0	11	3
Shapurji ..	.. No. 10 1/2	0	11	0
Trikamdas ..	.. No. 10 1/2	0	11	6
Sattara ..	.. No. 10 1/4	0	11	6
Shapurji ..	.. No. 6 1/2	0	10	6
Light-house ..	.. No. 6 1/2	0	9	9
Japan ..	.. No. 40—1	1	3	6
„ ..	.. No. 42—2	1	4	6
„ ..	.. No. 20	0	14	6
„ ..	.. No. 32	1	1	6

WEEKLY COTTON MARKET REPORT

Bombay, June 3, 1925.

There have been wider fluctuations in the Home markets during the past week resulting in nttt advance as undr :—

	July.	Oct.	Jan.	Mar.
New York 28-5-25.	23.02	22.46	22.25	22.49
Do. 4-6-25.	23.56	22.96	22.72	23.02
	+.54	+.50	+.47	+.53
	July.	Oct.	Jan.	Mar.
Liverpool 28-5-25.	12.36	11.94	11.81	11.82
Do. 4-6-25.	12.67	12.12	11.99	12.00
	+.31	+.18	+.18	+.18

The first Bureau condition report was published on Tuesday. The figure 76.6 per cent. was somewhat in excess of what was expected and the New York market promptly declined 50 points. Since then however there has been an advance of bout a Cent, as weither reports are not quite so favourable. There are numerous complaints about lack of moisture. It is apparent th emarket has been heavily oversold. It is probably many short sales are still ropen and a further advance is therefore more than likely. It is still too early in the Summer to form even an approximate idea of the size of the crop, and therefore too eagly to hold strong market views. We accordingly advise caution during this advance as a large crop is still a probability and there is not yet any sign of an improvement in trade conditions. The strength of the statistical position in America is worthy of note as it is now apparent the carry over in that country at the end of the season will probably be even less than the small figure of year ago. This will almost certainly cuse a further substantial advance in the New York July position but this advance will not be fully reflected in other markets.

The local market has ruled very steady partly owing to the advance in the Home markets, but more owing to steady buying by Japanese and a moderate demand from European exporters. The stock in Bombay may look large but when it is remembered that subsequent arrivals may not exceed 2½ lacs. bales and that none of our next crop will be available until about the month of November our stocks are not excessive. This particularly applies to cotton of desirable quality as our present stock contains a very large proportion of rain damaged lossy and poor stapled cotton. The position for local Mills is admitedly very difficult as there is yet no sign of any great improvement in the demand for cloth and yarn. To those concerns who are in a position to finance purchases we recommend buying now while decent quality cotton is to be had on an advance such purchases can be hedged if necessary by sales of New Crop as the Monsoon appears to be developing in a satisfactory manner.

THE EAST INDIA COTTON ASSN. LTD. WEEKLY REPORT.

Bombay, June 5

Description	Spot Prices. 4-6-25.	28-5-25.
Bengals F. G.	Not Quoted.	375
S/Punjab F. G.		375
Broach F. G.		466
Punjab American F. G.		472
Dolleras F. G.		443
Kadi Viramgum F. G.		454
Southerns G.		438

	Settlement Rates, 4-6-25	Futures 28-5-25	5-6-25.
Hedge Contracts ..		28-5-25	5-6-25.
Bengals July ..		374	379
„ Dec/Jany. 26	Not Quoted.	344	360
Broach July/Aug ..		443	448
„ April/May 26		418	421
Oomra F. ..			
Dec/Jany 26		386	390
Southerns G. May/June.		428	433

Receipts for the week ending 4th June. 1925 and corresponding period last year.

	Bales. 1924-25.	Bales. 1923-24.
Bengals	2111	2877
Oomras	8588	10585
Dholleras	14220	3575
Broach	4414	704
Southerns	16923	12339
Persians	61	129
Americans	..	2
Egyptians	..	181
East Africans.	10	13
Other sorts..	..	..
Total	46327	30408

Exports for the week ending 4th June 1925.

	Bales.
United Kingdom	..
Continent	16796
China	17082
Japan	37750
Coast Ports	2355
Total ..	73983
Afloat in harbour—Europe	15880
China, Japan & Coast Ports. ..	46016
Total ..	61896

Receipts from 1st September 1924 to 4th June 1925 and corresponding period in last 4 years.

1924-25	1923-24	1922-23	1921-22	1920-21
3265388	3109830	3330521	3042570	2321015

Exports from 1st September 1924 to 4th June 1925 and corresponding period in last 4 years

1924-25	1923-24	1922-23	1921-22	1920-21
United Kingdom. 48928	139811	109660		
Continent 502693	415210			
518986	819381	586330		
China 287850	197141	339726	346870	234218
Japan 1309028	1174710	1468826	1059903	
				823148
Coast Ports 28950x	48123	44401	38896	18174
Total 2193742	2409166	2548343	1948368	1490750

x Including 9329 bales for U. S. of America.

Total exports by rail from 1st September 1924 to 4th June 1925, 13,423 Bales; Estimated stock of raw cotton held by exporters, dealers and Mills in Bombay on 4th June 1925, 8,89,398 Bales; Exports from Karachi for the week ending 25th May 1925 (including Coast Ports). 23,094 Bales; Exports from Karachi from 1st January 1925 to 25th May 1925,—(Including Coast Ports) 6,83,788 Bales.

NOTE:—The figures of shipments are prepared carefully from the returns available but are subject to correction on publication of ships manifests.

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forward would be optional on the part of the buyer, the seller being compelled to "budli" to July. One wonders what reason prompted the Committee to place Madhowji Mill shares in the same classification as Bombay Dyeing and Century in view of the very small fluctuations that have occurred in this share the highest price in May being Rs. 380 and the lowest Rs. 340. The only parallel to such a drastic measure occurred in August 1914, when emergency measures were unavoidable due to abnormal conditions engendered by the Great War.

We have always maintained that the remedy for the troubles that arise time after time lies in the removal of rule 26, by which the Committee would protect "bears" when they deem it expedient to do so. If "bears" know that they will not be protected under any circumstances, bear sales would be few, and consequently corners would not be feasible. If the Government of Bombay do not agree with the majority report of the Stock Exchange Committee, it is for the members to remove this rule, and follow the sound advice of the majority report. As an alternative, a change to dealings in shares only for cash delivery would be the best thing in the interest of the market and the investing public.

Yesterday a fair amount of budli business was done at the minimum rates fixed by the Committee and budlis in other shares were put through with some difficulty. The minimum rates up to 30th June for dealings in Madhowjis, Bombay Dyeings and Centurys are Rs. 310, Rs. 780 and Rs. 340 respectively.

The miscellaneous section was almost neglected, the centre of attraction being cotton mill shares. Tata Hydros dropped from Rs. 92½ to Rs. 890. Other shares including Cement and Railways maintained last week's level.

There was also no change to report in the price of bank shares, Imperial Banks being quoted at Rs. 1422/8 with Contributories at Rs. 357/8. Bank of India shares were placed at Rs. 73 and those of the Central Bank at Rs. 26.

TRADE AND FINANCE.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

Bombay, June 5.

MONEY

With the turn of the month, monetary conditions were somewhat easier there being better tenders of call money at 5½ per cent. The fixed deposit rate for one month is 5½ per cent., two to three months 5 per cent. and six months 4½ per cent. But for the upheaval on the Stock Exchange, which called for caution on the part of Bankers, we should have seen a lower bank rate and cheaper money. Another probable reason may be the exceptionally large Government balances held in comparison with other deposits. It is generally believed, however that the bank rate will be reduced in the near future.

The statement of affairs of the Imperial Bank of India as at 29th May 1925 shows an increase of Rs. 13.97 lacs in the Cash balance which now stands at Rs. 21,64,29,000, after paying Rs. 4 crores to Government, the ratio of cash to liabilities being 21.71 as against 21.59 a week ago. Loans and Inland bills discounted show a decrease of Rs. 79.87 lacs and Rs. 77.72 lacs respectively while Cash Credits hew an increase of Rs 91.38 lacs, Government Deposits and Other deposits are both up by Rs. 106.57 lacs and Rs. 132.53 lacs. The Bank rate continues at 6 per cent.

Although the amount of business passing in the gilt-edged securities has not been on a large scale, a steady tone has prevailed. 2½ per cent Paper is quoted at Rs. 68/9 and 5 per cent. Loans, 1935 and 1945/55 at Rs. 98/9 and Rs. 99/4. 5½ per cent. Bonds 1927 and 1928, were placed at Rs. 108 and Rs. 104/15. 6 per cent. Bonds, 1926 and 1927, changed hands at Rs. 100/14 and Rs. 101/5. 1960 at Rs. 106/10 and 1982 at Rs. 104/12. 6 1/2 Bombay Development Loan is quoted at Rs. 108/2.

EXCHANGE.

A feature in the sterling exchange market was a rise in the forward rates from 1s. 9 7/8d. to 1s. 5 15/16d. The rate for ready T. T. was maintained at 1s. 5 31/32d. with business done up to 10th July at this level. The tone of the market is firm in view of the favourable advance of the monsoon. In some quarters it is believed that given another good monsoon, Government will not be able to suppress exchange or keep it from rising above 1s. 6d. The rupee, like any other commodity is governed by economic laws and its value is determined by the varying volume of legitimate supply and demand. There were some export bills placed both here and in other markets, but the demand for bullion T. T. was on an improved scale with as much as £800,000 reported to have been bought by dealers. There were sellers of T. T. at the close at 1s. 5-31/32 for ready and up to November, while December/January is quoted at 1s 6d.

Some purchases are reported to have been made by the Imperial Bank on Government account at 1s. 6d.

The dollar sterling quotation has been steady in the neighbourhood of 4.86¼ dollars, with only a fractional movement reported—the highest being 4.86 3/8 dollars and the lowest 4.86 dollars. London reports that the freight rate on gold shipment to New York from their port is increased from 3s. to 5s. per cent. in consequence of which the export and import parity for actual gold shipments is 4.8432 dollars per £ and 4.9067 dollars per £. French francs close at 98.80. Belgian francs at 101 and the Italian lira at 122.

GOLD.

In this market the price has moved but little from day to day and business has been on a moderate scale. With the improvement in forward sterling exchange, there were better sellers for July settlement. The daily offtake continues at the average of some 40,000 tolas and including the heavy arrivals of some Rs. 120 lacs worth of gold this week the stock is estimated at about 15 lacs tolas. The premium on sovereigns for ready delivery was maintained at about 1½ annas, as the upcountry demand still seems unsatisfied. The closing rate is Rs. 13-8-6 for ready and Rs. 13/7/3 for forward. The official price of gold in London is 84s. 11½d. per fine ounce In our market the highest and lowest rates during the week were Rs. 21/8/6 and Rs. 21/6/3 for ready, Rs. 21/8/6 and Rs. 21/6/3 for 7th June settlement and Rs. 21/9/6 and Rs. 21/7/3 for 7th July settlement. The incoming mail is expected to bring in about £428,000 gold. Inclusive of these arrivals and exclusive of the present week's shipment the total visible supply from London to India is about £10,50,000. The total import of gold during the week amounted to Rs. 1,21,53,661 in bar and coin. This week's shipment is expected to be £50,000.

SILVER.

Silver has shown a better tendency this week, aided by more favourable conditions in the Shanghai market, where the rate for T.T. on London advanced from 3s. 6-7/8d. to 3s. 7-5/8d. but closes at 3s. 7-3/8d. The rise in that market is attributed to the recent rioting in Shanghai, and at the close the news of the disturbances there is still not reassuring. In London the rates have advanced sharply from 31-5/16d. to 31-11 16d. for ready and from 31-3/8d. to 31 3/4d. for forward, due to China covering sales and India bazar buying. At the close there was a reaction, the ready rate declining to 31½d. and forward to 31 9/16d. America is reported to be offering less freely. The volume of business in our market has been moderate, but at the higher levels reached, the offtake is likely to slacken. The daily average offtake this week was some 220 bars and the stocks is estimated at about 3200 bars. The tone of the market at the close is steady but uncertain, and depends largely on the developments in the Shanghai market. In our market the highest and lowest rates during the week were Rs. 72/10 and Rs. 71/3 for ready and 11th June settlement and 72.7 and Rs. 71/7 for 10th July settlement. There is no silver arriving by the incoming mail. Excluding the present week's shipment the total visible supply from London to India is 2437,000. The total imports of silver during the week amounted to 28 bars and Rs. 66,775 in coin. This week's shipment is expected to be 362,000.

SHARES.

There were three working days on the Stock Exchange during the period under report. Cotton Mill shares were generally weak with a sharp decline in rates. A notable feature in the market was the sensational drop of some Rs. 260 in the price of Bombay Dyeing shares. After opening at Rs 940 the rate advanced to Rs. 1085 on Friday but closed at Rs 990. On Saturday the market opened at Rs. 950 and within three-quarter of an hour the price dropped to Rs. 780 when dealings in all shares were suspended as it was feared that a weak bull account was open, and a crisis might follow. The Managing Committee met, with a view to determining a solution for the present troubles, and suggested that dealings should be resumed on Monday at prices not lower than those ruling on Saturday at the close of business. This scheme of the committee failed, as a consequence of which business was again suspended on Monday. On Tuesday the market still remained closed pending the deliberations of the Committee. Their decision, which is considered by the public as drastic, has since been announced. By this, Shares in Bombay Dyeing, Century and Madhowji should be carried forward to the July settlement at a difference of Rs. 7/8, Rs. 3/12 and Rs. 3/12. The net result of the decision is that a buyer may pay for the shares if he likes, but a seller cannot claim the proceeds of the shares sold for the June delivery, and such carry

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WEEKLY COTTON REPORT.

(Specially written for "The Chronicle").

As anticipated by us in our last weekly report, and what we believe should have been ere long considered as the only natural sequence of a prolonged spell of favourable weather and excellent crop progress, the First Agricultural Bureau Report that was published on the 2nd inst., and which shows the condition of the United States cotton crop of 76 per cent. as on the 25th May (as compared with 65.8 6 per cent. the previous year) has proved to be a bearisal document. The immediate effect of the Bureau Report was of course a decline all around of 33 to 40 points brought about by persistant selling from all quarters. But the market was so much oversold, and indeed, the fact developing strength of the July position was becoming so over-bearing for the bears that on the morrow of the decline and the day after a drastic reaction in all of 97 points was reported in this contract as a result of general short covering; and in sympathy with this advance the New Crop positions were lifted nearly of a cent. These quick fluctuations in the value of the cotton have for the present placed the market in an uncertain mood, and have thrown the Bureau Report in the background.

LOCAL MARKET.

The local market has followed the line of action taken by the governing markets. Although a slightly weaker tone prevailed in the very early part of the week owing to pressure of selling by commission houses and Broach was depressed to Rs. 435 in the evening on the 30th ultimo, the market has steadily recovered from the 1st inst. when trading in New Crops commenced. On this day Broach April May 1926 delivery opened at Rs. 415 1/2 that is at a discount of Rs. 17 on the rate for July Broach, which was then quoted at Rs. 432 1/2. As soon as trading in New Crop commenced, at this difference of Rs. 17, a feeling set in that, as in America, the difference between the rates for New Crop and the Old Crop was bound to widen, with an upward tendency for the old. This sentiment brought considerable straddle business on account of many offices, who brought July Broach and sold New Broach, with the result that at the time of writing the difference between the rates of both the contracts has widened to Rs. 25, Broach July being quoted at Rs. 447 1/2 on the 5th inst. and Broach A/M being quoted at Rs. 422 1/2 on the 5th inst. Apart from this the volume of business passing was small and chiefly confined to local jobbers. Open business done on behalf of offices was negligible. The highest rate for Broach July was Rs. 448 on the 5th inst., and for Broach A/M was Rs. 422 1-2 on the 5th inst., while the lowest rates for both the contracts were respectively Rs. 431 and Rs. 405 on the 2nd inst.

Spot Market :—The spot market has ruled steady during the week under review, and fluctuations have been very narrow. A better feeling prevails in the market owing to the definite establishment of the monsoon, and general rains having fallen in almost all the consuming centres, the local mills are expected to come in as good buyers as it is expected that a renewed demand would set in for their finished products.

As regards the future course of the price of cotton we have at present nothing very definite to say. For although our predilections about the Bureau Report have come out to be correct, the recent action of the market, the feverish haste with which the prices have been advancing, and indeed the rather unfavourable turn of weather have, we admit, modified our out and out bearish views. But when we say this we do not mean to suggest for a moment that the market is to remain in a state of perpetual advances with only occasional set backs. All that we can at present say is this that at this period of the season, it is as risky to advise sales as it is hazardous to advise purchases. Nevertheless we consider it necessary to place before our readers some of the salient features of the market at present. In the first place it has to be remembered that all along till the time of writing the weather conditions have been all that we can desire for particularly when during this season we have had no winter rains. It was only during the latter portion of the week under review that dry hot weather was experienced in the Central Texas, but as against this we must take into consideration the fact that elsewhere, weather conditions are certainly favourable as confirmed by the latest Government Weekly Weather Report. It is because Texas contributes 1/10th share to the total crop of the United States that some anxiety has been felt owing to the prevalence of hot dry weather in the district. But we are of opinion that this state of feeling is as premature, as any optimistic views built upon the excellent progress that the crop has so far made. For just as the unfavourable turn of weather has caused a sharp advance in the market, a reversal in the present weather conditions might as well cause a precipitous decline. The market in short has become a weather market, and trade factor has for the present been eliminated.

Under the circumstances we would advise caution while operating on bull side of the market; for at any rate we do not consider that the present high price level would be long maintained.

So far the local market is concerned, we believe the present strength in the July position would keep the prices in the New Crop positions a little higher. The monsoon has set in right earnest, and the rainfall has been general in all the districts. This augurs well for our new crop. But at present the fluctuations in our markets will be largely governed by the conditions prevailing in the New York market.

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THE WEATHER.

SIMLA, June 5.

The depression over Gujarat has intensified and remained stationary. The monsoon is vigorous on South Burma Coast.

Rainfall has been nearly general in Lower Burma, East Rajputana, Gujarat and Konkan and local in Upper Burma, Bengal, Orissa, Chota Ngpur nd Bombay Deccan.

A few falls have also occurred in Assam, Bihar, Kashmir, Northwest Frontier Province, West Central Province and Malabar Chief amounts are:—Mergui and Diamond Island three inches; Tavoy five; Moulmein and Rangoon one and a half; Bhimo, Maymyo and Dinajpur one; Jalpaiguri two; Darjeeling four Kotah one; Rajkot one and a half; Veraval five; Surat two; Bombay three; Mormugao one and a half.

Forecast:—Increase in Bombay Deccen and extension in Central parts of the country.—A.P.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA
Bombay, June 4.

Means of observations taken at 5 a.m., 10 a.m 2 p.m., 4 p.m., and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg. Fahr.	29.633 inches.
Temperature of Air	79.3 degree.
Wet Bulb Thermometer	76.4 "
Dew Point	75.0 "
Relative humidity of Air	87% "
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy equal to 10)	9.8 "
Maximum temperature of Air	84.0 "
Minimum do. do.	76.8 "
General direction of Wind from midnight to midnight	WSW, SW, WSW,
Movemnt of Wind from midnight to midnight	159 miles.

SUN, MOON AND TIDES AT BOMBAY.

Day of Week.	Day of Month.	HIGH WATER. Bombay Mean Time. h.	m.	Depth on Still. ft.	in.	Day of Month.	LOW WATER. Bombay Mean Time. h.	m.	Depth on Still. in	f t
	Jun					Jun				
Fri.	5	1	32	26	9	5	3	26	16	1
		14	25	26	9		15	58	19	0
Sat.	6	9	26	28	1	6	18	2	15	0
		21	10	27	4		21	11	19	0
Sun.	7	10	14	28	1	7	10	43	17	9
		21	58	26	1		..		24	1
M.	8	11	47	29	8	8	4	51	14	2
		23	35	27	9		17	36	18	3
Tu.	9	12	34	30	2	9	5	36	13	11
							18	27	18	1
W.	10	1	15	27	5	10	7	11	14	7
		14	6	29	8		20	20	18	3
Th.	11	2	5	26	9	11	8	1	15	8
		14	56	29	2		21	25	18	5

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Friday, the 5th June 1925, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Skies are heavily clouded over Lahore and mostly clear elsewhere Humidity is in excess at Hissar and locally in defect elsewhere Maximum temperature was almost normal; the minimum was higher than usual in the south of the province. The thermometer rose yesterday to 111 deg. at Multan and Hissar.

The United Provinces.—Skies are clear over the east of the province and moderately to heavily clouded over the west. Humidity is in defect at Cawnpore and in excess at Jhansi. Maximum temperature was generally lower than usual in the west of the division and the minimum higher in the east. The highest temperature in the province yesterday was 111 degs. at Mainpuri.

Sind and Rajputana.—Ajmer reports 0.19" of rain, Kotah 1.02" and Mount Abu 0.17". Skies are clear or lightly clouded over Sind and moderately to heavily clouded over Rajputana. Vapour in air is in excess in east Rajputana. Maximum temperature was below normal in Rajputana; the minimum was higher than usual in upper Sind and lower in the central parts of Rajputana. Jacobabad recorded yesterday a maximum temperature of 117 degs.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Rajkot has had 1.35" of rain, Bhavnagar-Para 0.52', Surat 2.34" and Ahmedabad 0.45". Skies are lightly to moderately clouded over Central India West and heavily clouded elsewhere. The air is generally damper than usual. Temperature was in general considerably below normal throughout the division.

The Central Provinces.—Saugor reports 0.11" of rain. Skies are clear or lightly clouded. Humidity is locally in excess. Maximum temperature was lower than usual in the whole of the division and the minimum in Berar only.

The Konkan.—Bombay has had 2.88" of rain, Ratnagiri 0.77" and Marmagao 1.40". Skies are heavily clouded over Bombay and lightly to moderately clouded elsewhere. Moisture in the air is in excess in the north of the division. The maximum temperature recorded yesterday at Bombay was 84 deg.0 (7 degs below normal) and the minimum 76degs.9 (4 degs below normal). Temperature was almost normal elsewhere

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Belgaum has had 0.19" of rain and Poona 0.29". Skies are clear or lightly clouded over east Hyderabad and moderately to heavily clouded elsewhere. Humidity is in excess except in the south Bombay Deccan. Maximum temperature was generally below normal; the minimum was lower than usual at Nizamabad only.

General Remarks.—The depression which was over Kathiwar yesterday has moved over the Gulf of Cambay and has caused widespread rain in its neighbourhood. The monsoon continues active in the Konkan and has extended into Rajputana. Rainfall has been nearly general in the Konkan, east Rajputana, Gujarat and Kathiwar, and local in the Bombay Deccan and north Malabar. A few falls have also occurred in the north Central Provinces. The chief amount which remains to be mentioned, is 0.43" at Mangelore.

Forecast.—An increase of rainfall is probable in the Bombay Deccan.

Daily Weather Telegram for the 4th June 1925 issued from Simla.

The depression in Gujarat is passing slowly northwards and has caused some heavy falls of rain in Kathiawar. The monsoon is weak in the Peninsula south of Bombay. The May monsoon has strengthened. Rainfall has been nearly general in Lower Burma, Assam, Gujarat, the Konkan and Malabar and local in Chota Nagpur Bihar, Central India West and the Bombay Deccan. A few falls have also occurred in Upper Burma, Bengal Orissa, the east United Provinces, the Northwest Frontier Province and the west Central Provinces.

The chief amounts, not mentioned in the Bombay Report, were:—Tavoy six inches; Moulmein four; Kyaukpyo one and a half; Akyab two; Dhubri four; Ranchi one and a half; Gaya one; Babraich a half.

OBSERVATIONS RECORDED AT 8 HOURS ON FRIDAY THE 5TH OF MAY 1925.

STATIONS.	RAINFALL. Past 24 hours.	Total 1st June to date.	Normal, 1st June to date.	Departure 1st June to date.
Baluchistan—Quetta	--	--	0.03	0.03
Punjab—				
Multan	..	..	0.01	0.01
Rawalpindi	..	..	0.17	—0.17
Lahore	0.09	0.09	0.05	—0.04
Hissar	..	..	0.21	0.06	+0.15
Ambala	..	..	..	..
Delhi	..	..	..	0.08	—0.08
United Provinces—				
Agra	..	..	..	0.01	0.01
Mainpuri	..	..	..	..	..
Jhansi	..	..	..	..	..
Cawnpore	..	..	--	0.17	—0.17
Allahabad	..	..	--	0.05	—0.05
Sind—				
Jacobabad	..	..	0.30	..	+0.30
Karachi	..	..	0.02	0.02	..
Rajputana—Bikaner	..	..	1.65	0.01	+1.55
Ajmer	..	0.19	0.19	0.05	—0.14
Jaipur	..	..	0.32	0.05	+0.27
Kotah	..	1.02	1.62	0.25	+1.37
Mount Abu	..	0.17	3.09	..	+3.09
Kathiawar—				
Bhuj	..	..	0.74	0.08	+0.71
Dwarka	..	0.05	?	?	?
Veraval	..	..	..	..	..
Rajkot	..	1.35	2.77	0.03	+2.74
Bhavnagar Para	..	0.52	2.14	0.24	+1.90
Gujrat—				
Surat	..	2.34	5.52	0.17	+5.35
Ahmedabad	..	0.45	2.25	..	+2.25
Deesa	..	0.09	2.97	0.05	+2.92
Central India West—				
Neemuch	..	..	0.39	0.10	—0.29
Indore	..	--	1.03	0.29	—0.74
Central Provinces—				
Jubbulpore	..	--	0.02	0.02	..
Saugor	..	0.11	0.21	..	+0.21
Hoshangabad	..	..	1.86	0.27	+1.59
Khandwa	..	..	0.94	0.23	—0.10
Akola	..	--	1.55	0.44	+1.11
Amraoti	..	--	2.45	0.52	+1.93
Nagpur	..	..	0.02	0.81	—0.79
Chanda	..	..	0.17	0.52	—0.35
Raipur	--	..	0.12	0.47	—0.35
Konkan—				
Bombay	2.88	14.10	1.36	12.74
Ratnagiri	0.77	6.90	2.95	+3.95
Mormugao	1.40	7.48	2.75	+4.73
Karwar	0.05	9.68	4.64	+4.94
Bombay Deccan—				
Malegaon	..	..	3.65	0.51	—31 4
Ahmednagar	0.04	0.39	0.64	—0.2
Poona	0.29	0.60	0.67	—0.07
Sholapur	..	0.01	0.78	—0.77
Bijapur	..	0	0.67	—0.67
Belgaum	0.19	0.99	1.13	—0.14
Hyderabad—				
Aurangabad	..	0 68	0.56	+0.12
Nizamabad (Indur.)	..	1.54	0.-6	+1.28
Hyderabad	..	0.21	0.61	—0.40
Malabar—				
Mangalore	0.43	7.4	4 39	+3.05
Calicut	0.09	3.31	4.05	+0.74
Cochin	0.01	4.21	4.07	+0.14
Trivandrum	0.25	1.33	1.83	—0.53
Ceylon—Colombo	..	..	..	..
Madras (Excluding Malabar) Mysore. &				
Masulipatam	..	0.57	0.56	+0.01
Bellary	..	0	0.49	—0.40
Cuddapah	..	0.30	0.48	—0.18
Madras	..	..	0.31	—0.31
Bangalore	..	0.19	0.85	—0.66
Coimbatore	..	0.05	0.26	—0.21
Trichinopoly	..	..	0.30	—0.30
Negapatam	..	..	0.18	—0.18

AMNESTY RESOLUTION.

REDUCTION OF SENTENCES.

ALLAHABAD, June 4.

A resolution has just been issued by the U. P. Local Government in which cases of persons convicted of certain offences arising out of religious animosties during the recent years are reviewed. In connection with the Katarpur Riot cases of September 1918 the Governor-in-Council has decided to reduce the sentences of 24 persons sentenced to transportation for life to ten years' rigorous imprisonment and to remit the unexpired term of 51 prisoners. Sentences of 39 prisoners serving sentences of transportation for life in Andamans will also be reduced to ten years rigorous imprisonment.

SHAHARANPUR RIOT CASES

In connection with the Saharanpur riot cares of 1923 sentences of 8 persons sentenced to transportation for life have been reduced to ten years and of those of lesser periods are reduced by nearly half and all persons sentenced to three years imprisonment or less are to be realised forthwith. Six persons sentenced in Ganda riots of 1923 will be released at once. Four persons sentenced in the Bageshwar Fair offences will also be released.

The resolution says: "In coming to this decision the Governor-in-Council has been largely actuated by thre fact that peace and tranquility prevails at present in the province and efforts are, he believes, being made to maintain this condition of things. The Government have no wish to enforce law with any greater severity than public security requires. They hope lenience, herein shown, will neither be misunderstood nor abused. Indeed it may conduce to the maintenance of good relations between the two communities. If, however, there should be any unfortunate renewal of communal disorders Governor-in-Council will have no choice but to take a server view of them and especially in the case of any persons who should be found to have abused the concessions now granted.—A.P.

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BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

Engagements.

TO-DAY.

S. S. "Narkunda" with English mails leaves at 1 p.m.

TUESDAY, June 9.

Nowrosjee Wadia Maternity Hospital Governor lays foundation-stone, Parel, p.m.

MAIL TRAINS' TIMING.

The following are the hours of arrival & departure of the principal Mail and Express Trains at and from Victoria Terminus :—

	H.M.	H.M.
Punjab Mail	16 45	12 20
Calcutta Mail (via Jubbulpore)	12 6	21 9
Calcutta Mail (via Nagpur)	7 0	15 45
Madras Mail	8 45	22 50
Poona Mail	11 30	15 15
Inter III Poona Express	12 25	14 15
Poona Express	18 55	7 45
Delhi and Lucknow Exp.	5 0	21 25
Madras East Passenger	9 0	9 0

POSTAL NOTICE.

Superscribed Mails for Singapore China and Japan per s.s. "Tamba Maru" will be closed at the General Post Office at 6-30 p.m. on Tuesday the 9th inst. instead of 1 p.m. on Monday, the 8th inst.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The P. and O. Mail steamer "Razmak" with the Mails from Bombay of 30th ultimo arrived at Aden at 1 p.m. on the 4th instant.

The P. and O. Mail steamer "Moldavia" carrying Bombay Mails of 30th ultimo ex S.S. "Razmak" left Aden at 7-30 p.m. on the 4th instant.

The P. and O. Mail steamer "Macedonia" arrived London on Thursday the 4th instant.

The P. and O. Mail steamer "China" with the Mails from Bombay of 23rd ultimo arrived at Marseilles at 7 a.m. on the 5th instant. Passengers travelling by the P. and O. Special Train were due to arrive in London on Saturday afternoon. The Mails left the Mail Special and would be delivered in London on Sunday morning.

The N. Y. K. steamer "Sadoo Maru" left Kobe for Bombay via ports of Call on the 2nd June and is due to arrive here on or about the 27th June.

CONCERT AT Y. M. C. A. HALL.

A Concert will be held in the Y.M.C.A. Hall, Wodehouse Road, Fort, to-day (Saturday) at 9-15 p.m. All are welcome. Admission Free.

CITY'S MORTALITY.

The following statement shows the total mortality from 6 a.m. of 4th June 1925 to 6 a.m. of 5th June 1925.

Small-pox 6 attacks 3 deaths; Cholera nil Plague nil, Influenza 1 attack, nil death. Total mortality (exclusive of stillborn 73. Total mortality this day last year 70.

PRARTHANA SAMAJ.

Mr. V. B. Velanker will conduct the weekly Divine Service in the Bombay Prarthana Samaj, Girgaon to-morrow (Sunday) 7-30 a.m. The morning Divine Service will be conducted by Mr. R S Hate at 7-30 a.m.

CHEMBUR HOUSING SCHEME.

The first General meeting of the St. Anthony's Homes Co-operative Society, Ltd. (Chembur Scheme) will be held to-morrow (Sunday) at 10-15 a.m. at the Antonio de Souza School Hall, Gloria Church, Byculla. All Catholics interested in the Scheme are kindly invited to attend.

BOMBAY PROVINCIAL CONGRESS COMMITTEE.

An ordinary meeting of the Council of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee will be held on today (Saturday) at 6 p.m. (S.T.) at the "Congress House" 225, Girgaum Back Road.

GOWD SARASWAT BRAHMAN FOREIGN EDUCATION SOCIETY.

The second annual general meeting of the Gowd Saraswat Brahman Foreign Education Society will be held at "Anandashram," Harvey Road, Gamdevi, Bombay, at 6 p.m. (S.T.) to-day. Five minutes after the annual general meeting is over, an extraordinary general meeting of the Society will be held at the same place to confirm the draft of the Society's Trust Deed

BUDDHA SOCIETY.

The usual ortnightly class of the Society will be conducted by Prof. N. K. Bhagvat, M.A. to-morrow (Sunday) at Nair Building Sandhurst Road, at 9-30 a.m. (S.T.) The subject for the class will be "The Life in Buddha's Church."

BOMBAY STUDENTS' BROTHERHOOD.

There will be a debate at the Bombay Students' Brotherhood, "Arya Bhavan" Sandhurst Road to-morrow (Sunday) at 5-30 p.m. (S.T.) when Mr. N. A. Mawlanker will propose that "moral power when brought to bear upon human mind exerts greater influence than money power."

YOUNG MEN'S MUSLIM ASSOCIATION.

There will be an ordinary meeting of the members of Y.M.M.A. to-morrow (Sunday) at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.) in the hall of the Association near [illegible] Statue when Moulvi Fazlur Rahman of the Elphinstone High School will speak on "Harmony of Islam with Hinduism and Christianity."

SEASON TICKET FOUND.

A lost second class railway season ticket (Churchgate to Mahim) has been left at this office by a gentleman who found it. The owner may have it by calling at this office.

UNIVERSITY HELPING SOCIETY.

Members of the Universal Helping Society will pay a visit to the Rahim Saw Mill at Cennaught Cres Road, Gorapdeo, to-morrow (Sunday) at 2 p.m. when the owner will conduct to show all the departments of the mill to the members.

RELIGIOUS DISCOURSES.

Swami Yatiswaranda of the Sri Ramakrishna Mission, will conduct a public class in English on the Gospel of Sri Ramakrishna at the Sri Ramakrishna Asharam, Khar Bandra, at 8-30 a.m. (S.T.) on Sunday (to-morrow). The Swami will also give a public discourse on the Raja Yoga at the Students' Brotherhood, 'Arya Bhavan' Sandhurst Road, Bombay at 5-30 p.m. (S.T.) the same day. Swami Viswananda will deliver a public discourse on Gita at Kirtikar's Wadi, Lady Jamshedji Road, Dadar at 8-30 a.m. to-morrow (Sunday). The Gita Class at the Saraswat Hall, Alexandra Road, Gamdevi will be conducted by the Swami at 6 p.m. to-day.

LATE MRS. HARRY HODGKINSON.

A special general meeting of the members of the 'Sasson Mechanics' Institute will be held in the Institute Hall on Wednesday next at 6-30 p.m. (S.T.) to give expression to the loss sustained by the Institute by the sad death of a prominent member and well-wisher, Mrs. Harry Hodgkinson Mr. Meyer Sassin will preside.

SHRI RASHTRIYA SHALA BOMBAY.

The summer vacation being over, Shri Rashtriya Shala, Bombay (Ashoka Stores Princess Street) reopens on Monday, the 8th inst. This is the only Institution which imparts national education in Bombay and it conducts classes from first to seventh standard. Commercial Training also forms a part of its Curriculum. Parents intending to send their Children to the School are requested to see the Principal in the school premises.

BHATIA MATERNITY HOSPITAL.

Under the auspices of the Khatau Makanji and Kanji Mulji Trust three Intant Welfare Centres beside a Maternity and Nursing Home situated at Bazar Gate Street, Fort, are conducted by the Poona Seva Sadan Society, under the direction of Mr. G. K. Devadhar, at Caval Street, Mandvi, and Fort for women and children of the Bhatia community only. During the month of May 1925, in all 1306 patients were attended to at these centres and the hospital; out of these were 781 women 339 children and 183 infants 3 cases were admitted into the hospital; the daily average attendance being 42.7. The number of deliveries done up-to-date was 147. The district visiting nurses paid 426 visits and 10 expectant mothers were under observation during the month.

DEBATE IN THE CATHOLIC LIBRARY.

Under the auspices of the Debating Society Catholic Library, Cavel, an interesting debate was held on the King Emperor's Birthday at 5-30 p.m. before an appreciative audience of ladies and gentleman, with Mr. Anthony Mendoza, Music Professor in the chair.

Mr. G. P. Das, M.Sc. (U.S.A.) in proposing that the "intellectual advancement of a nation depends on the higher education of her women" discussed the ideals and responsibilities of Motherhood and clearly pointed out to the audience the magnificent role and highly educated women plays in the gradual evolution of a nation

From opposition, Mr. Chakravarthy, E. E. (Berlin) openly inveighing against the higher education of women, propounded that Nature has branded woman as a stay-back-creature within the soft shadow of her home to do her God-appointed domestic tasks. The debate was then thrown open to the public to speak. After a pithy observation from the chair and a vote of thanks to the same, the meeting was dispersed.

EXCELSIOR.

Those who like a film with real snap about it will appreciate "Daughters of Today" at the Excelsior Theatre tonight and all next week. It is supposed to be a problem play to make mothers ask "What is my daughter doing to-day?" but there is no need to worry about that the film is mostly a rousing frolic with plenty of beautiful girls and all the accessories of the "jazz age"—love, laughter, cocktails and syncopation.

How would a timid little country girl, suddenly plunged into this mad maelstrom behave? That is unfolded in the course of this film which includes midnight bathing parties and dancing exhibitions that some say had their origin in the remoter parts of the Congo. The producer, in his attempt to faithfully portray contemporary life may have been guilty of exaggeration but one is permitted to do that on the cinema and the net result is a very amusing film. The timings are Saturday and Sunday 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m. Other days 6-30 and 10 p.m

EMPIRE.

"Turn to the Right," which commences at the Empire to-night is a typically American film, but in their own picturesque language, it "hits the bulls-eye." There are crooks in it, humorously professional crooks, with their own peculiar methods of doing good turns. The old story of the loafer who makes good is so well used that one would imagine it impossible to play any variations on that theme, but you have only to see "Turn to the Right" to realise that there is still material in that very well-worn theme to make a thoroughly entertaining and diverting story. It is only necessary to add that the film is a Rex Ingram production.

PATHE.

The Pathe Cinema announces a special feature and treat for its patrons this week in "The Country Kid," the latest Warner Brothers' production, there has been chosen three of the greatest juvenile actors, Wesley Barry, the lad of speckled fame, together with "Spec" O'Donnell and "Baby" Bruce Guerin give a wonderful display of talent. It is a simple homely story, one of life on a farm with its hardships and struggle with the soil. Three boys, left alone in the world with a small and impoverished farm between them and absolute destitution. Grimmes their uncle, a cruel and heartless man taking advantage of the privileges allowed him as guardian, spends many an hour scheming how to get rid of the boys and then buy the farm for a song. He finally decides to send the two younger boys Joe and Andy to an Orphanage and compels Ben to work for him. The pathetic scenes showing how the children are dragged to the orphanage and the miserable lives they lead there being unable to accustom themselves to the separation and hard discipline, will make the blase gulp hard and bring tears to the eyes of those who advocate "spare the rod and spoil the child."

WEST-END.

The new Chadwick film, "The Tom Boy" starring Dorothy Devere, opens at the West-End Cinema (New Churney Road) to-night and this week is a most moving drama replete with brisk action and thrilling situations containing in addition, an abundance of comedy that makes this one of the snappist bits of film entertainment offered in many months. Supporting Miss Devore in the cast are Herbert Rawlinson, James Barrows, Lee Moran Harry Gribbon, Lottie Williams and Helen Lynch; every one a recognized screen player of exceptional ability.

WELLINGTON.

Perhaps Constance Talmadge cannot lay claim to the title of "mermaid of the screen" just yet, but Annette Kellerman had better look to her laurels if Connie is called upon to make another picture like her new First National release, "Good References," which will be shown at the Wellington Cinema Dhobi Talao, to-night and this week.

For Miss Talmadge was compelled to do more swimming during the production of this picture than she had ever done in a like period before. One of the principle scenes calls for a pretty large order of swimming. While taking a dip with the pseudo valet of a jealous admirer Constance, as the heroine, is deserted by the yachting party to which she belongs, leaving her with the handsome valet in Long Island Sound to swim back to New York or splash into shore and take their chances on being arrested for parading about in bathing suits.

EMPRESS.

The run of the "Thief of Bagdad" at the Empress Cinema reminds one of the celebrated brook. This is its fifth week, and still there are no signs of diminishing popularity. There surely cannot be anybody who has not seen it now, but very obviously there are people going two and three times to see this fascinating Douglas Fairbanks creation.

Packed appreciative houses have been the rule and the ingenuity of a modern producer in capturing the spirit of the Arabian Nights is effectively has been universally admired.

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KNOCKED DOWN BY MOTOR LORRY.

JURY'S SEVERE STRICTURES AGAINST DRIVER.

Rao Bahadur B. N. Athavie, the City Coroner held an inquest touching the death of Shankar Pandurang a Hindu lad (11) who was knocked down by a motor lorry driven by Alexander Garin at Kalachowki Road on Thursday night.

The deceased along with his brother went to a flour mill to have some rice ground, at about 4 p.m. They were returning home with the flour along Parel Road. As they were crossing the road a motor lorry came from behind and mounted the footpath. The brother of the deceased ran ahead leaving the deceased behind. The brother then saw the deceased lying dead against the wall of a tailor's shop between the two left wheels of the lorry. The chest of the deceased had been cut open.

The police surgeon who made a post mortem examination of the body stated that the head was severed from the trunk of the deceased's body. The ribs and chest were fractured. The cause of death was the fracture of the spinal column.

A verdict of death due to fracture of the spinal column in consequence of his having been knocked down by a motor lorry driven by Alexander Garin in a rash manner under such circumstances that the act of the said Alexander was causing death by a rash act not amounting to culpable homicide.

S. INDIAN RLY. WORKSHOP.

TRICHINOPOLY, June 4.

The new locomotive workshops for the South Indian Railway, now being raised at Golden Rocks on the latest western model and which is expected to be completed by the end of 1927 are estimated to cost three crores. The cost is to be met from the nine crores allotted to that Company by the Government of India.—A.P.

SPORTING NEWS

BOXING IN BOMBAY.

KUBES WINS EASILY.

JACKD'SOUZA KNOCKS OUT MARCER

There was a fair attendance at the Excelsior to witness the boxing on Friday night. Perhaps not a few were disappointed with the big fight of the evening, a ten round contest between Milton Kubes and Dan Kelly of Kharagpur. The latter had been boosted up as a veritable mankiller but he did not show those propensities when facing the redoubtable champion. He did show cleverness in defence which gave one the impression that he had something "up his sleeve" for the tenth round but when that arrived he was just the same old easy-going chopping block. Kubes boxed like the champion he is and took no chances. His speed and footwork were incredible and flabbergasted his slower opponent. It seems that Kelly is more fitted to fight man of his own weight who will naturally be very much slower than Kubes. Despite the vast difference in weight Kubes won by an overwhelming margin. The ten round contest between Jack D'Souza and George Marcar was little more than a cock-fight and ended dramatically in the second round when Marcar took the count. Six rounds were not sufficient to separate Tom Carter and F. Merchant the verdict being a draw after an interesting scrap. The four round contest between R. Oomrigan and H. Janson also ended in a draw. F. C. Billimoria certainly seemed to have the better of the argument when he met Micky Burgess over six founds, though the judges decided against him. W. Jepson had to acknowledge defeat in his four round fight with M. Lobo.

HARWOOD LEAGUE.

BOTH MATCHES POSTPONED.

On account of the bad state of the grounds both the matches on the Cooperage and the Oval had to be postponed, yesterday. The City Police played a practice match against the B.B./.F.I. in the water on the Oval.

COUNTY CRICKET MATCHS,

LONDON, June 4.

In the county cricket match between Gloucestershire and Sussex, Gloucester won by three wickets. Sussex 123 and 118 (Dennett six for 44) Gloucestershire 116 and 9/ for seven (Tate five for 36).

The following are the closing scores in other matches that began on Wednesday :—

M. C. C. vs. Wales :—M. C. C. 530 (Hardey 81 not out Harris six for 112). Wales 325 (Bell 61 Bruce 54, Davies 67) and followed on, 76 for no wickets.

Leicestershire vs. Surrey :—Leicester 278 and 76 for two. Surrey 317 (Sandham 66, Shepherd 50, Jardine 57).

Warwickshire vs. Yorkshire :—Yorkshire 265 and 275 for three (Sutcliffe 130, Holmes 79) Warwickshire 115.

Hampshire vs. Northamptonshire :—Hampshire 264 and 276 for nine and declared (Mead 58, Jameson 52) Northamptonshire 143 (Kennedy six for 59) and sixteen for no wickets.

Worcestershire vs. Derbyshire :—Derby 273 and 254, (Lee 59, Jackson 82, Root five for 54), Worcestershire 148 and 44 for three.

Lancashire vs. Kent :—Kent 139 and 183 for seven (Hubble 53) Lancashire 331 (E. Tyldesley 77, Barnes 54 Wright five for 117).

Glamorgan vs. Somerset :—Somerset 149 and 265 (Bligs 73 not out). Glamorgan 108 (Bridges seven for 52) and 25 for two wickets.

Oxford University vs. Army :—Army 380 and 135 for six. Oxford University 282 (Holmes 161 not out, Davies five for 74).—Reuter.

LONDON, June 5.

Following are final scores in County Cricket matches that began on Wednesday :

Hampshire v. Northamptonshire, Hampshire 264 and 276 for nine and declared. Northamptonshire 143 and 83.

Worcester v Derbyshire. Derbyshire 273 and 254. Worcester 148

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WANTED—PROMPT ACTION.

The news which we publish elsewhere regarding the detention of the pilgrim ship "Jehan-ir" in Port Sudan and the cause of this detention will be received with consternation by the Muslims in India. The ship has been detained because, as Mr. Qamar Ahmed's cable says, Amir Ali is alleged to be bombarding and blockading Rabigh by sea. During the recent controversy regarding the advisability of Indian Muslims proceeding to the Haj, it had been assumed both by the Government of India and the Central Khilafat Committee that the sea route to Rabigh and the landing at the port were safe, the main point of difference being about the safety of the journey from Rabigh to Mecca because the route fell within the war zone. In fact, as Maulana Shaukat Ali points out in his statement which we publish elsewhere, the guarantee which he was asked to give and which he gave to Messrs. Turner Morrison and Company was dependent on the corresponding obligation of the Company and the British Government to secure the safety of the pilgrims on sea.

In their latest communique issued from Simla on Tuesday the Government of India stated that they had lost no time "in putting in train such arrangements as were feasible to mitigate as far as possible the abnormal hardships which will necessarily attach to this year's pilgrimage." "Steps have been taken by His Majesty's Government", they added, "to appraise Sultan Ibn Saud and Amir Ali of the impending arrival of the ships and remind them of the responsibility which will devolve upon them for the well-being of these pious pilgrims from British territory. A Special Pilgrim Officer is proceeding to the spot and will be assisted by an Indian doctor and staff." The Government of India, it is clear, knew, or at least, assumed, that the landing at Rabigh was safe; otherwise, they would not have arranged to send their own officers to that port. Nor was that all. Reuter's London correspondent informed us on Wednesday that the British Government were understood to "have taken the necessary steps to warn the King of Hedjaz and the Sultan of Nejd of their respective responsibility for the safety and well-being of pilgrims to Mecca." The first indication of the landing at Rabigh being dangerous was given in a cable from the "Pioneer's" Cairo correspondent published on the day following that the Hedjaz Government had addressed a letter to the Egyptian Government stating that it did not accept responsibility for pilgrims landing at Rabigh, Elleith, Kunfida and Elwagh, "as they were within the war zone which the Hashimite ships were frequently compelled to shell."

The conduct of Amir Ali first in refusing a truce during the Haj season and now in deliberately bombarding a port where he knows pilgrims are about to land, cannot be too strongly condemned, though it is not surprising, being fully in accord with his past record and that of his father who betrayed Islam at the hour of its greatest need. The declared policy of the British Government in regard to the interecine war in the Hedajz, is one of non-interference. But considering the circumstances of the case, there is good ground for intervention to the extent of securing a safe landing at least at the ports of Kunfida and Leith, as suggested by Maulana Shaukat Ali, if not at Rabigh. Prompt and effective action in this direction on the part of the British Government is called for not merely because there are only a few days left for the performance of the Haj, but also to avert a suspicion in the Muslim mind about their partiality towards Amir Ali. It is impossible to exaggerate the gravity of the reaction on the Muslim mind if the zealous Muslims, who during the last few days have left the shores of Bombay, disdaining the danger to their lives, return without performing their religious duty. Keener than the disappointment of the pilgrims will be the indignation of their co-religionists all over the country over the failure of the powerful British Government to secure a safe landing at any one of the Hedjaz ports.

THE STEEL INDUSTRY.

From the annual report of the Tata Iron and Company in 1924-25 as also from the speech of the Chairman on Thursday, it is clear that the Company is putting up a manful fight for the stabilisation of the industry. The enterprise has to-day a block value of more than 21 crores and next to the Imperial Bank its share holders are the most widely-distributed in the country. The agents of the Company now realise its character as a public institution, but long before the conception dawned upon them the people of this country realised its importance and discounted the claims of bossing proprietorship. At the critical stage, the tax-payer rescued the industry without pausing too long over reforms of reciprocity. The year 1924-25 was a disastrous one for the world's steel industry and the Tata Company had to share the slump. If we allow for adequate depreciation, the industry is still working at a loss. The net profits amounted to Rs. 64.71 lakhs which together with the balance of the previous year gave a disposable sum of Rs. 68 57 lakhs. The Company has set apart Rs. 61 lakhs for depreciation and out of the residue the first-preference share-holders are paid Rs. 3.5 lakhs which, let it be noted, covers the year up to March 1924. The amount allotted to depreciation is inadequate in the light of the Tariff Board's assessment of Rs. 94 lakhs as the due margin of depreciation. Thus the Company is really working at a loss and all its efforts should be directed towards steady production, careful sales and conservative finance. The Company was in severe straits in the latter half of the past calendar year and all sorts of heroic remedies, including the circulation of the bowl among share-holders, were proposed. The working of the year may be viewed from the stand-point of regularised finance and that of commodity-output. Receipts were bound to fall because of the cataclysmic drop in prices all the world over and in the case of India particularly because of continental dumping and high exchange. The vulnerable phases of the liability-side were carefully handled by the directors during the year. The position of the Company had become difficult. The protective tariff was neutralised by the rise in exchange of two pence and the efforts of Belgian sellers to undercut Indian material; Government and railways were slack in their patronage; the increased production from the greater extensions caused great financial pressure; and the withdrawal of deposits with the firm magnified the difficulties of finance. The Gwalior loan of one crore was arranged last June on terms that could not be considered lenient.

While these embarrassments were progressing, the Company was supposed to have been liberally spoon-fed by the Steel Industry Protection Act, but by a curious tilt of the wheel the consumers were reduced to the sacrifice of Rs. 150 lakhs without Indian steel benefiting at all. The price actually realised by Jamshedpur steel was much below Rs. 180 per ton. Exchange had been dislocated to the extent of 12½ per cent against Indian steel and there was also a substantial reduction in the c. i. f. price of Belgian steel. The company's position was not bettered and the Indian public again agitated for a redressing enquiry which resulted in the grant of Rs. 50 lakhs (really Rs. 65 lakhs) as bounty. The formidable factor of exchange affects all Indian industries. The rupee is not automatically adjusted but it is the sport of high finance. If a 25 per cent. *ad valorem* duty gives protection to industry at 1s 4d., a 40 per cent duty is required when exchange goes up to 1s. 6d., and 56 per cent. when the rupee touches 1s. 8d., hence we describe exchange as a factor as formidable as it is uncertain. Mr. R. D. Tata has told the shareholders of the manner in which sources of danger in the financial machinery of the company are being eliminated. "We are not now dependent", he says, "on casual short-term loans from the market nor can our financial position be disturbed by temporary stringency in the Bombay money market." The search light of public opinion in the last two years helped the spirit of sound administration. The Tariff Board expected 2,50,000 tons of finished steel to be produced in 1924-25 and the company has succeeded in the standard of output. For the current year, the Board has scheduled 335,000 tons and in the next, 400,000 tons. The rate of profitable production will depend upon the encouragement given by the Government, the railways and other quasi-official institutions.

Though the stage of peril is past the transition of losses remains. When it will terminate no one can say as it depends on trade-recovery Mr. Tata pleads for a continuation of the bounty (the tariff lasts three years) and appeals to the Government and the Legislature to realise the position of the industry. As even the margin of depreciation cannot be covered by the net profits, the company has a presentable case for assistance, but it is, perhaps, too early to consider the question of further sacrifice by the country. It is nevertheless refreshing to see Mr. Tata identifying the industry with the nation. It is no longer a private corporation for the rigging up of shares or the profligate payment of dividends as in the time of the war. Businessmen have a way of making a virtue of necessity, and in our experience we have come across hefty businessmen spurning Indian organs of opinion when they are well-off and swiftly making friends when safe-guards are necessary against illicit practice. At the risk of appearing a little digressive, we recall a recent example of a huge company with Indian names on the board which disdained to have the Indian press connected with its prospectus. We full well know that when the good weather of superior companionship alters, it will be for the Indian press to fight for its security. When our great industrialists allude to national identity, we recall the story of the giant and the dwarf who went battling together; the giant ignores the dwarf after each encounter but at the beat of the battle presses the dwarf to stand in front and lose his limbs. In the case of the Tata Iron and Steel Company, the contribution of the nation is so patent and indisputable, that the directors are fully justified in their description as stewards of national enterprise. The meeting was quiet; none of the old but by no means vanished grievances about the Indianisations of the staff and the better treatment of labour were ventilated. The silence marks restraint and sympathy while the business is struggling to make good; and we hope in a few years it will be able to repay its debt of honour to the nation.

Notes of the Day.

A Thought for the Day.

The economists are perpetually trying to lend interest to a dull subject by giving the most exciting names to the singularly unexciting events which compose the calender of their history. Thus, when eighty-five stout gentlemen with large cigars lose a great deal of money which they had not yet made, they call it a crisis. And when two hundred and sixty-three stock brokers make an undue noise in a large building . . . they call it a Panic.

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The Crime of Colour.

It is often suggested that in England, unlike the Dominions, there is no colour bar against Indians but this is not entirely true. Racial discrimination in such matters as sports apart, there is a colour bar imposed by the Army Council against Indians for admission to the Officers' Training Corps in the Universities where they are studying. We say advisedly that it is a colour bar because while Canadian or Australian students are admitted to these Corps though they cannot usually hold commissions in the British Army, Indian students are excluded on the ground that they are ineligible for those commissions and that it would adversely affect the recruitment of the British youth. As Mr F. H. Brown in a paper recently read before the East India Association pointed out, even this plea of non-eligibility has ceased to be plausible since the throwing open of the King's Commission to Indians in Lord Chelmsford's time. In January last, Mr. Phiroze Sethna moved a resolution on the subject in the Council of State which was accepted by the late Lord Rawlinson who averred that a despatch had already been sent to the Secretary of State on the subject. But, as Mr. Brown's speech shows, the subject is presumably still "under correspondence" between the subordinate government and imperial warlords. Does the War Office imagine that such discriminative treatment and racial bans at the beginning of their career will impress the Indian students very favourably with the sense of justice of the imperial authorities?

Nadiad Banghis' Appeal.

We have received a copy of a printed appeal to the rate-payers of Nadiad from Municipal Bhangi employees of the place, requesting them to pay up their sanitary cess to the Municipality. It appears from the appeal that the tax is greatly in arrears, and that the Municipal authorities have to issue distress warrants for its recovery, though it is as low as annas eight per annum, or pies eight per month per privy. The Bhangis plead very rightly, "Our labour is very cheap (it is rupees nine per month), our work is very dirty and unpleasant, and still you grudge to pay us the light tax of eight annas per annum. When we are educated and leave of our dirty work who do you think will take our place for the removal of the dirt and filth of the town? When we shall take to less dirty work, you will not get our services even for Rs. 15 per month. Take advantage of our cheap labour, and to entitle you to get it, pay up the light tax. What more shall we tell you, who are more learned (and reformed) than ourselves?" Two facts are clear from the report: first, that there is great difficulty in the collection of an abnormally low rate of eight annas a year, and second that the Bhangis' pay is as low as rupees nine a month. Evidently both these should be raised. One of the causes of the Bhangis' indebtedness is the exploitation of their labour, both by individuals and corporate bodies. We know of the heavy indebtedness of Nadiad Bhangis in particular as evinced by the fact that they have to pay as much as 24 to 36 per cent. even on house mortgages, in a district where money is comparatively cheap. A co-operative society is at work for several years past for these suppressed people in Nadiad, but it has not been able to achieve anything substantial in relieving them of their load of indebtedness. Will not the Registrar of Co-operative Societies and the President of Nadiad Municipality do something tangible in this direction?

RANDOM JOTTINGS.

(BY L. G. K.)

Eureka—There we have it—a common platform and very common platitudes as announced by the leader of the Independents in the Legislative Assembly. They all sing the song of unity, every one of our leaders and then give a tune which strikes a distressingly discordant note. Mr. Jinnah does not give a new tune, he pipes the old one. His common programme is a reiteration of the political policy of the Independents. A sense of punctiliousness, an acute desire to be prompt in paying the return compliment compelled Mr. Jinnah at last to answer Pundit Motilal Nehru. He begins by telling us what he missed in the Nehru *Puran* composed in eight parts, pauses to remind us what he, Mr. Jinnah, said in his interview No 2, goes on to declare that the Faridpur speech is the turning point in Swarajist polities, and ends with what—the old, old lament that what the country should insist upon is "the pursuit of a policy of opposition or support of measures as national interests demand on a consideration of their intrinsic merits in the legislatures and public bodies."

Intrinsic Merits.

What are the intrinsic merits in each case? That is the trouble. Mr. Jinnah talks the language of the Poona Responsive Co-operationists, and begs the question. What the public is anxious to find out is whether the leaders of all parties are really willing to put their methods in the melting pot, whatever their political *opinions* may be, and agree to adhere to a particular method for a reasonable period of time. Take for example the talented lady from Adyar. We can fairly surmise what her opinion is about Khaddar and its potentiality as a political weapon, but to secure the favourable attitude of Mahatma Gandhi and his followers to an item in her political method, she declared herself ready to ply the twirligig. If a common programme is to be evolved, we must have a kind of give and take. We all know that Mr. Jinnah is nationalist, and not a mere leader of an evanescent political party. But what about the flotsam and and jitsam of the Independent party? And what about certain Diwan Bahadurs? About "the education, organisation, and agitation," the latter will have nothing to say: and they will not mind any other sonorous grouping of "tions"—the discussion and the confabulation, the peroration meant for the masses, and the adulation meant for certain members of the Higher Bureaucracy. But when it comes to *opposition* to a certain measure, they will be in no great hurry to declare that it has "intrinsic merits" enough to support such a hostile attitude. Why can't a politician of Mr. Jinnah's calibre take leave of the real Liberals who masquerade as Independents in his party, which he should promptly disband, and join Mr. V. J. Patel on cer-

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FATE OF "JEHANGIR"

DETAINED IN PORT SOUDAN.

RABIGH BOMBARDED BY ALI?

WHAT WILL BRITISH GOVT. DO?

Maulana Shaukat Ali writes under date June 6 (8-30 p.m.):—

I have received the following cable sent by Malvi Qamar Ahmed from Port Soudan dated the 5th June 1925 at 1-50 p.m.

"The 'Jehangir' detained in Port Soudan on the allegation of Amir Ali bombarding and blockading Rabigh by sea. All pilgrims wearing Ehram and are much disturbed."—Qamar (Ahmed).

Where is the British mastery of the seas? What is British navy doing? Surely we have a right to demand that on sea no one could touch Indian pilgrims. Kunfida and Leith are also available for landing and Government ought to see that the 'Jehangir" goes either to Kunfida or to Leith. I give below the guarantee which I had given to Messrs. Turner Morrison and Co., on 5th May 1925:—

"I gladly take the responsiblity of advising Muslims to proceed for this year's Haj to the port of Rabigh (Kunfida and Leith which we would have preferred seing considered by you difficult of navigation) and from there by land to Holy Mecca. For the safety of pilgrims *on sea we naturally hold you and the British Government responsible* but *after the safe landing on shore* we fully rely on the assurance of Sultan Ibne Saud that with God's assistance he would fully guarantee the safety of life and property of the intending pilgrims and make all arrangements for their comforts".

This guarantee was published in the Press and repeatedly in the "Khilafat Daily". Government ought now to save their own face, see that Ali takes away from Rabigh his old men-of-war sold to him by England and land pilgrims safely at Rabigh or arrange that the "Jehangir" and other pilgrims ship safely land pilgrims at Kunfida or Leith.

This is the least it ought to do. Musslamans will never forgive any backsliding in this matter.

MAHARAJAH GWALIOR DEAD

As we go to press we understand from Reuter's office that the Maharajah of Gwalior is dead.

ROUND GERMAN FLIGHT.

TWO CRASHES.

LONDON, June 4.

Berlin.—The Round-German-Flight of light aeroplanes is proceeding with its stages since 1st June. To-day it resulted in two crashes. Albat Ross plane crashed at Bamberg. The driver fractured his legs and the machine was demolished. Caspar Plane had the same fate at Wuerzburg and the pilot marvellously escaped unscathed.—Reuter.

FOURTH STAGE TO-DAY.

BERLIN, June 5.

Of the nineteen aeroplanes that have hitherto completed the third stage in the Round-Germany flight a Udet machine piloted by Polte was the fastest, covering 600 miles in 651 minutes. After repairs to-day, the survivors will start on the fourth stage to-morrow.—Reuter's Special.

IN SEARCH OF AMUNDSEN

ANOTHER DETAILED PLAN.

NEW YORK, June 5.

Lansdowne, Commander of the dirigible "Shenandoah", has submitted a detailed plan and operation, should it be decided to send the "Shenandoah" in search of Capt. Amundsen. Details, however, have not yet been published. The "Shenandoah" would proceed to Spitzbergen via Pulham, where it could be tied to mooring mast and take in fuel.

The Naval department reiterates that no appeals from Norway or any other official source for American aid for Capt. Amundsen have been received.—Reuter.

ENGLAND-INDIA AIR SERVICE.

LONDON, June 4.

The report that the England-India air service will cross Switzerland in view of the difficulties of flying over Germany has elicited an official statement that the only service that is, at present, being definitely contemplated is from Egypt to India. Ultimate England-Egypt section is merely a stage in a preliminary consideration.—Reuter.

LONDON-INDIA AIRWAY.

A correspondent writes to the "Manchester Guardian":—

Construction has now begun on two new large wood and metal Empire 'Planes" with which Imperial Airways are to carry out experiments on the London-India Empire Airway. These machines will be the largest commercial aeroplanes in the world and, with the exception of the ends of the wings will be built entirely of steel. They will have accommodation for 20 passengers, and arrangements will be provided for the serving of meals while in flight. Each machine will be driven by three engines totaling over 1,000 h.p., so arranged that should any one engine fail the giant can continue its journey with the other two.

The machines are intended for use on the desert stretches of the London-India Airway between Cairo and Karachi, and will connect with the big Napier D.H. expresses which will cover the European section of the journey The "Empire 'Planes" will have a top speed of 110 miles an hour, and will cruise at 95 miles an hour, while they will be able to fly night and day owing to the practical eliminating of forced landings by the use of three engines.

GENEVA LABOUR CONFERENCE.

NEW ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL.

LONDON, June 4.

Geneva.—The Labour Conference today elected a new administrative Council compromising eight States laid down in the Peace Treaty as the highest industrialised countries of the world namely, France, Germany, Britain, Italy, Belgium, Japan, Canada and India. The Government group also nominated Argentine, Spain, Norway and Poland.

The employers' group chose Mr. Lithgow (British Empire), Pinot (France), Olivetti (Italy), Carlier (Belgium), Hodac (Czecho-Slovakia), and Gemmill (South Africa).

The Workers' group elected Jouhaux (France), Poulton (British Empire), Moore (Canada), Muller (Germany), Oudegeest (Holland) and Thorburg (Sweden).—Reuter

LABOUR ALLIANCE.

PROPOSAL ABOUT NEW ORGANISATION

LONDON, June 4.

The Executives of eight Trade Union organisations met in London on the invitation of the Miners' Federation to discuss proposals for establishing a new labour alliance for mutual protection. Mr. Cook, of the Miners Federation, in an impassioned speech appealed for unity but speakers were generally cautious and reluctant to bind themselves. The meeting then resolved to appoint a committee consisting or two representatives of each group of industries to consider suggestions submitted at the conference.—Reuter.

TURKISH GOVT.

SUPPRESSION OF PROGRESSIVE PARTY

LONDON, June 4.

Constantinople.—The Government has ordered the suppression of all branches of the Progressive Party on ground that it is reactionary and that its agents have been using religious propaganda for political purposes.—Reuter.

"GRAND CORDON."

NEW TITLE OF GEN. ALLENBY.

LONDON, June 4.

Cairo.—King Fuad has conferred on General Allenby the title of the Grand Cordon of Mohamed Ali.—Reuter.

PRINCE OPENS DOCK AT DURBAN.

LONDON, June 4.

Durban.—The Prince of Wales opened to-day a new graving dock which will be able to accommodate comfortably the world's largest vessels. The Prince en route passed through lines of ten thousand assembled Indians.—A.P.

SHANGHAI STRIKE.

NO IMPROVEMENT IN SITUATION.

CENTRAL GOVT'S. ATTITUDE.

LONDON, June 4.

Reuter learns from well-informed quarters that, while dangerous possibilities of the situation in Shanghai have in no way diminished, hitherto there has been no united action on the part of the Powers apart from the dispatch of ships and landing of bluejackets and marines. If necessary, further troops could be despatched from Indo-China and Manila, but intervention is not desired and has not hitherto been suggested. No Britisher has been reported either killed or wounded in Shanghai.

The Coalition Government in Peking which is recognised 'de facto' and is supported by Changtsolin includes elements of the Sun Yat Sen party, while the Young Nationalist section includes Communists who are at present agitating and are probably in touch with Russia and the Third Internationale. Though nothing is known of the exact attitude of the Central Government, it is not unlikely that it is supporting students. It is reported that Changtsolin would like to take over the Peking Government himself.—Reuter.

POLICE RAID "RED NESTS."

BOLSHEVIK LITERATURE SEIZED.

LONDON, June 4.

Shanghai.—The situation is quiet. The police raided a number of "Red" nests and made some arrests. A large quantity of Bolshevik literature was seized in a local school.—Reuter.

BOLSHEVIK MONEY?

ALLEGED EVIDENCE WITH POLICE.

SHANGHAI, June 5.

The Secretary of the Municipal Council says that during the raid on the headquarters of the strike leaders the police secured irrefutable evidence of Bolshevik money and activities behind the disturbances. Meanwhile, the strike is extending. The strikers are resorting to the old-time Chinese practice of threatening the lives of the families of workers who are loyal to the foreigners.

Yesterday, the Japanese managers of the Japan and China Cotton Mill, Pootung, fired on the strikers, who were attempting to seize the mill; and wounded five. The Japanese inspector, together with a large force of police, drove out the rioters after windows and furniture had been smashed.—Reuter.

PEKING ADVOCATES BOYCOTT OF GOODS.

PEKING, June 5.

The Chamber of Commerce has decided against a general strike but advocates the boycott of goods and currency of the countries concerned in the Shanghai affair and withdrawal of deposits from banks. The American and Chinese staffs of the Y. M. C. A. and other American Missionary institutions have passed a resolution expressing the opinion that evidence hitherto does not show any ground for believing that the firing by the police was necessary.—Reuter.

JAPANESE CRUISER SAILS FOR SHANGHAI.

LONDON, June 4.

Tokio.—The Japanese cruiser "Tatsuta" has sailed for Shanghai with two hundred marines.—Reuter.

ITALIAN MINISTER'S REPLY.

LONDON, June 4.

Pewing.—The students' attempts at securing a general strike, including that of shopkeepers, have failed. It is noteworthy that demonstrations hitherto have been almost entirely anti-British and anti-Japanese.

The Italian Minister on behalf of the Diplomatic Corps replied to the Note of Waichiaopu declaring that the Police only opened fire when they were attacked. The responsibility for firing therefore rested with the demonstrators.

The Italian Minister in his reply points out that a mixed court before which the culprits were summoned released them, and expresses hope that the Chinese Government will envisage the incident in the same conciliatory spirit as that of the Diplomatic Corps, with a view to restoration of order as soon as possible.

Waichiaopu has sent another Note to the Italian Minister complaining of further cases in which the Shanghai police fired on the people many of whom were killed and injured. The Note alleges that the shooting was unjustified and declares that the attitude of the authorities at Shanghai is causing strikes and urges representatives of Powers to send without further delay very emphatic instructions to their Consuls to cease the practice of opening fire in order to avoid further bloodshed.

SOVIET AMBASSADOR'S CONDOLENCES.

The Soviet Ambassador Karakhan has sent a note to the Chinese Foreign Minister expressing his condolences at the "shooting of several Chinese workers and students at Shanghai" and saying that feelings of deepest sympathy and sorrow will be shared by people with the Union of Socialist and Soviet Republics.—Reuter.

TRADE UNION CONGRESS APPEAL TO PREMIER.

LONDON, June 4.

The Trade Union Congress has requested Mr. Baldwin to withdraw the British armed forces from the Shanghai strike.—Reuter.

At Shanghai, practically all Chinese staffs of the Eastern and Great Northern Telegraph Companies have joined the strike.—Reuter.

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AWAIT LORD READING'S RETURN

LONDON, June 5.

The Earl and Countess of Reading accompanied by Sir Geoffrey de Montmorency, Private Secretary, will leave for India on 27th July and will arrive in India on 7th August in time for the autumn session of the Legislative Assembly which commences on 22nd August. It is understood that no announcement of the result of conversations between Lord Birkenhead and Lord Reading will be made until Lord Reading has returned to India.—Reuter.

MOROCCO SITUATION.

FRENCH SATISFACTION.

LONDON, June 4.

Paris.—At a meeting of the Cabinet today, M. Painleve announced that the situation in Morocco had now become stabilised and no extensive military operations were contemplated. He added that the morale of both the French and the native troops was excellent.—Reuter.

RIFF VICTIMS OF FRENCH BOMBS.

LONDON, June 4.

Paris.—A communique from Fez claims that airbombs alone have inflicted casualties among the Riffians of 250 killed and 300 wounded in two days recently. Reuter.

SECURITY PACT PROPOSALS.

ALLIES' AGREEMENT.

LONDON, June 4.

On the conclusion of the Cabinet meeting M. Briand announced that a complete agreement had been reached between the Allies on the subject of Germany's proposals regarding the Security Pact. M. Briand is proceeding to Geneva at the end of the week when he will hold personal and private consultations with Mr. Chamberlain.—Reuter.

COLOGNE EVACUATION.

LONDON, June 4.

Berlin.—Replying to Lord D'Abernon's address in presenting the Allied Note. Dr. Luther referred to the German replies to th Allied Notes in which the German standpoint on the question of the evacuation of the Cologne zone was laid down. He added that his Government would immediately consider the new Note after which it would decide on further measures. —Reuter

DEVELOPMENT SCANDALS.

GOVT. SHIRK NON-OFFICIAL ENQUIRY.

SERIOUS AFFRONT TO COUNCIL.

MR. NARIMAN'S STRONG RESENTMENT.

The following correspondence between the Government of Bombay and Mr. K. F. Nariman, M.L.C., is published for general information:—

Government letter no. S.D.—651, dated 28th April 1925, to Mr. K. F. Nariman, M.L.C.:—

"I am directed to invite your attention to the debate in the Legislative Council on 3rd March last on a resolution moved by you 'that a total reduction of Rs. 61,99,000 be made in the total demand for the Development Department of Rs. 1,50,00,000'. In moving this resolution, you stated that you openly made charges that there had been 'serious mal-administration of public funds' and 'serious wasting of public funds'; that there had been instances which you 'could go to the length of calling frauds'; that, if you had sufficient time at your disposal, you 'would have given instances after instances which would have convinced the House that not only is there a misapplication of funds but misapplication of a nature which, under ordinary circumstances, in the course of a public enquiry, would have resulted in proceedings in a court of law; and that even might tell the Government quite frankly and openly that there are ugly rumours in the City and in the whole of the Presidency that the higher staff of offices had been receiving secret commissions from the manufacturers'.

"2. In referring to these allegations, the Honourable Mr. Cowasji Jehangir asked you to give him even one name privately, if not publicly, and he promised that he would give every assistance to try and prove any allegations, even privately.

"3. In the absence of any communication from you giving more specific information regarding the allegations which you made in the Legislative Council, I am directed to inform you that Government are prepared to appoint an officer of high judicial attainments to investigate any definite charges which you are now prepared to make and to advise Government regarding the action which they should take on his findings.

"4. In this connection I am to state that Government do not ask you to supply information sufficient to 'prove' definitely the accusations which you made in the Legislative Council but only to provide such definite information regarding (1) the acts which you described as frauds, (2) the instances of misapplication of funds which under ordinary circumstances would have resulted in proceedings in a court of law, and (3) cases of receiving secret commissions, together with information regarding the parties believed to be implicated, as will enable the enquiring officer to direct his inquiry and to frame definite charges against a particular officer or officers. In particular you are requested to inform Government of the names of persons who are likely to be in a position to substantiate the charges which you make.

"5. Government are prepared to extend to you, in pursuit of the enquiry, the same facilities as are given to Government servants, who may be incriminated, viz., permission to be present when evidence is recorded, to cross-examine witness, and to see documents which are admitted as exhibits by the enquiry officer.

"6. I am to request that you will reply to this letter at as early a date as possible."

Government letter no. S.D.—732, dated 13th May 1925, to Mr. K. F. Nariman, M.L.C.:—

"I am directed to invite your attention to Government letter no. S.D.—651, dated the 28th April 1925, and to request you kindly to inform Government whether you intend to provide the information asked for in paragraph 4 of their letter, and, if so, to state when Government may expect to receive the information."

MR. NARIMAN'S REPLY.

Letter, dated 19th May 1925, from Mr. K. F. Nariman, M.L.C., to the Government of Bombay:—

"I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter No. S.D.—651, dated the 28th April last, regarding alleged charges against the Development Department. It is very much to be regretted that the Government have still not deemed it advisable to accept my Resolution passed by the Legislative Council in October 1925 recommending the appointment of a Committee of 12 non-official and elected members to enquire into the whole administration and working of the Development Directorate. . . and further the appointment of an independent officer as expert to help the said committee.

"2. If the Government will refer to the report of the debates on the said Resolution they will find that I had based it on the 'right' of non-official elected members, as representatives of investors of 30 crores of rupees, to investigate into the administration and working of the said department.

"3. Since the passing of the said resolution, the Government have made various attempts to baulk that non-official independent public inquiry and, with a view to side-track and cloud the real issue, have offered, instead, in the first instance, a mere advisory committee without any power to investigate and is now offering a one-sided official departmental investigation, which, from a public point of view, is more objectionable and unsatisfactory than the advisory committee: the public have by this time enough experience of this sort of hush-hush investigations, invariably resulting, where Government departments are concerned, in whitewashing reports, and non-official and elected representatives of the people are associated in such investigations, the public have neither confidence nor even interest in such proceedings.

"4. Besides, where allegations against a Government department are to be investigated, principles of justice, equity and fairplay demand that inquiry should, as far as possible, be non-official and independent of the Government, as there would be a natural tendency and inclination on the part of any officer, connected with and subordinate to the same Government to shield his brother officers and protect the reputation of the Government department.

"5. The Government is greatly mistaken if they think that a demand for a non-official public inquiry can be satisfactorily met with or disposed of by starting a departmental and official investigation. Since the necessity of such investigation is now admitted by the Government themselves by proposing the appointment of an investigating officer, the impropriety of not accepting a resolution of the Council for the same purpose becomes all the more galling and insulting.

"6. The Government do not expect the author of the resolution, who has all along contended and still maintains that non-official elected members as representatives of investors have a right to investigate into the working of the department without interfering with its internal management, should now accept a most humiliating position, to be merely present 'with permission of Government' before a Government office as a matter of grace to cross-examine the witness or examine the documents put in as exhibits under the direction of the Government inquiry officer, and what is most objectionable, as stated in your letter to have the same facilities as are given to Government servants 'who may be incriminated.'

"7. I most strongly resent the proposal reducing an elected member of the Legislative Council, who is calling for a non-official public inquiry, to the position of 'Government servants who may be incriminated and I consider it a serious affront to the Council.

"8. I should have expected, under ordinary circumstances, to a fair and impartial and even a semi-judicial enquiry, to be placed in the position of a prosecutor, with a right to call for and examine or tender all testimony, documentary or otherwise, that are considered relevant and material to the investigation instead of being extended, as a matter of favour, a mere right to be present *with the permission of Government*. The position seems to have been reversed by the extraordinary procedure suggested in your letter, whereby the Development Directorate is given the rolls both of a prosecutor and accused and it seems to be left to the discretion of the party charged to adduce such evidence and disclose such facts and documents as it deems safe and proper, whereas I am to play the part of a 'dumb spectator to the pantomime show. I am surprised that any responsible Government should seriously put forward such an unfair proposal.

"9. If the Government desire to associate a Government officer of high judicial attainments with the said non-official committee recommended by the Council, I for one will certainly welcome his inclusion in the said committee and if the selection of the gentleman is happy and satisfactory, I would not mind even his presiding over and guiding its deliberations or even if the Government consider a committee of 12 non-officials as unwieldy and inconvenient, the House may even accept a reduction of the number. In short, I believe any reasonable modification of the said resolution would be acceptable to the majority of the House, provided that the principle of the right of non-official elected members to investigate is admitted. Their entire exclusion from such an investigation betrays a want of confidence and trust on the part of Government in constitutionally elected representatives of the people and it is but natural that, in view of the attitude I have taken up, I could not participate in any proceedings that, not only casts reflection and slur upon the House by admitting its incapacity to investigate, but also directly results in flouting a resolution of the Council passed at my own instance.

"10. I hope I have made my position quite clear and have left no room for any deliberate misrepresentation as was indulged into in the past. I also hope the Government will accept the reasonable

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PROGRESSIVE TAXATION

KARACHI SHIPPERS' DEMAND

THOROUGH OVERHAULING OF PRESENT SYSTEM.

The Taxation Enquiry Committee met on Friday in the Town Hall. It consists of Sir Charles Todhunter (Chairman), the Maharajadhiraj of Burdwan, Sir Percy Thompson, Sirdar Jogendrasingh, Dr. L. K. Hyder and Dr. R. P. Paranjpye, with Mr. D. B. Brett as Secretary.

Prof. Buch, representative of the Buyers' and Shippers' Chamber at Karachi was the only witness examined on Friday. Mr. Buch said that his Association had about 250 members, and was an influential body; there was also another body in Karachi called the Indian Merchants' Association; his Association represented both wholesalers and retailers.

Dr. Hyder asked the witness whether he meant to say what the taxation system in India was not based on scientific priciples.

Witness said the Indian taxpayer did not get the equivalent of what he paid to Government in the way of taxes; he must get the utmost for what he paid to Government.

Dr. Hyder asked whether he meant that people who paid taxes did not get the exact measure for the taxes paid by them; that was not according to the science of taxation he said.

Witness said some part of the taxation went out of the country and the taxpayer did not get the fullest return for his money.

Dr. Hyder: Are you now discussing the Home charges?

Witness said he was referring to many other charges; he was also referring to the Army charges.

Dr. Hyder said it was a different question whether the charges were high or low, for they had not to consider the Army charges, etc.

The Witness said the question was whether the taxpayer got protection for the amount he paid to Government. His complaint was that the Army charges were made for the Imperialistic purposes of the Government of India.

The Chairman: We have got nothing to do with it.

Witness said taxation was too much and the taxable capacity of Indians was therefore, overcharged. His point was that the whole system should be overhauled.

The Chairman: You advocate proportional and not progressive taxation?

Witness: No, I am for progressive taxation.

Chairman: How are you going to charge general "influence"?

INCOME TAX BASIS.

Witness: It is a misfake, and I mean affluence. Continuing said witness income tax was based on equally of income and not on equality of burden or sacrifices. They paid taxes without taking into consideration whether a man was a bachelor, or had a large family to feed, or ny other responsibilities. Certain allowances must be made for marriage and other things, said the witness.

Sir Percy Thompson: How are you going to do it? It is an inquisitorial system!

Witness said it could be done by a reference to birth registers, and many other things.

Dr. Paranjpye: I can tell you in Poona the birth registers are not worth the paper on which they are written.

Witness said the minimum taxable income should be raised to Rs. 5,000 per annum. Witness said those firms which made their profits in India, but were foreign ones in origin, should also be taxed.

Sir Percy: I suggest they are.

Witness said incometax assessment was made on salaries of the managers, etc. and the profits made out of passenger traffic by a shipping company, but not on the dividends paid to the shareholders, etc.

Sir Percy: They are all taxed. Do you know any country in the world which taxes a foreign personality? It is a tax on the whole profit.

TAXATION OF MIDDLE CLASSES.

Witness said his greatest quarrel was that the middle classes were not exempted from payment of taxes, and that when a man had a large family to support no allowance was made to him for marriages etc. A man getting Rs. 2,000 per year could not save.

Dr. Paranjpye: When I was at Cambridge, I was getting a scholarship of £200 per year, and I had to pay incometax on that. They did not take into consideration what my expense were!

The Chairman: You say that the minimum should be increased?

Witness signified is assent and continuing, said the witness they should keep outside the scale of special taxation countries like England, and those which were within the Empire, and severely tax countries like Japan, and others which were outside the Empire—that would mean that without doing harm to the latter they would be doing some good to the former. Up to now that policy had not been seriously considered by the Government. Those industries which were in their infancy, the witness suggested, should be protected; he instanced shipping. He supported Imperial Preference, if it benefitted India, and he did want India to be considered as a part of the Empire. He was for wholesale closing of shops, wherever practicable.

The Chairman: Have you studied the official statistics after the introduction of prohibition in America?

Witness: Yes. I have seen the recent figures, and they are very disappointing.

Proceeding said the witness succession or death duties were opposed in India owing to the joint family system, but he suggested some tax should be imposed in those cases where the documents had to be passed through some official channel for registration, etc.

The Chairman said that was only done when a man left a will otherwise not.

Witness advocated universal succession certificates, with a minimum limit, and he would extend the present law to all the communities.

Dr. Paranjpye: In some countries it amounts to much and in England during the war it came to more than 50 per cent!

Dr. Hyder: You say that if an estate is very large, the payment also should be very large?

In reply to the chairman witness said Government paid a very high rate of interest for their loans, when they could have got them cheaper. There was no necessity for them—to pay as much as 6 per cent. which was more than was necessary.

Sir Percy said even the British Government had to raise loans at 6 per cent. and did the witness suggest that Indian Government had more credit? He asked whether the Collector of the Exchequer and the Indian Finance Minister were both wrong.

Witness said the Finance Minister merely copied the Chancellor of the Exchequer.

Sir Percy said when older loans could be had at a discount, was it suggested that people would have bought the new loan at the same rate of interest, but at a higher price?

Witness maintained that the rate of interest paid by Government was high and that the Finance Minister had merely copied the English example.

Sir Percy Thompson: Then you tell the Finance Minister when Government want to issue a loan, what interest he should pay!

Witness: It is open to me to say that the rate of interest paid by Government was too high!

Continuing, said witness, No monopolies such as salt should be taxed; he did not know of any other monopoly however. He was a malthusian and he did not believe in over-population wholesale. In Baroda a tax was levied on all marriages; it was imposed for the purpose of ensuring that a girl was married at a certain age. The bride was charged as. 8 and a similar charge was made on the bridegroom. He was also for taxing the higher priced motor cars, and not Fords and cheaper cars.

Dr. Hyder: May I ask you whether you single out the classes for taxation?

Witness said he was doing so in some measure. The point was that richer men should pay more than the poorer men. He would tax a man according to the servants he kept; he would assess a man's income and then give him servants accordingly.

Dr. Hyder: How many servants should be given to a Maharaja?

Witness: About two would be quite enough in Bombay. He said he would have progressive taxation on the number of servants one had. He admitted that servants were necessary in the present state of society. He also wanted to tax the tourists, but he thought the present tax levied by the Port Trust at Re. 1 per package was iniquitous.

The Chairman: It is iniquitous if it goes to the Port Trust and not iniquitous if it goes to Government?

Witness said sometimes small chairs were charged at that rate, even hand-bags. He also wanted the hotels to be taxed.

VICEROY'S BIRTHDAY MESSAGE.

SIMLA, June 4.

Telegrams were exchanged between the Viceroy and the King Emperor in connection with His Majesty's birthday. The Viceroy said:—"On behalf of the Government and peoples of India I beg to express to your Majesty our congratulations and good wishes on the occasion of Your Majesty's birthday and our thankfulness for Your Majesty's recovery from your recent illness. May Your Majesty be enriched in the coming year by the blessings of health and hapiness and loyal affection of Your Majesty's subjects throughout the Empire."

His Majesty the King in his reply stated:—

"Please convey to the Government and peoples of India my feelings of gratitude for the message of congratulations and good wishes which Your Excellency on their behalf addressed to me on this anniversary of my birthday. I preserve the happiest recollections of India and its peoples and follow with interest all that conduces to their general happiness and prosperity.—A. P.

BIRTHDAY BANQUET AT OOTY.

MADRAS, June 4.

There was a State banquet at Government House Ootacamund, in honour of the King's birthday at which all members of the Cabinet and high officials of the State as well as a few non-officials, Indian and European, resident at the station attended. After the guests had assembled the Governor accompanied by his personal staff made formal entry into the State room. At the conclusion of the dinner, after the Governor had proposed the toast of His Majesty the King Emperor, His Excellency read out a list of those on whom distinctions and decoration had been conferred by His Majesty so far as they related to his province.—A.P.

MENACE TO S. G. P. C.

AMRITSAR, June 4.

The feeling between the S. G. P. C. on the one hand and the Majha and Gargaj Dewans backed by the newspapers "Baber Sher" and "Kirpan Bahadur" on the other is causing anxiety in local Akali circles who regard it as a menace to their organisation. The S. G. P. C. has published communiques pointing out that the opposition is the work of interested persons some of whom were dismissed from its employ. Meetings are held here almost daily in which the parties denounce each other's action.—A.P.

AT DAUGHTER'S RESCUE.

LOSS OF WELL-KNOWN S. INDIA WORKER.

TINNEVELLY, June 4.

Reliable news is to hand from Sarmadevi, says the "Hindu," that Mr. V. V. S. Iyer, founder of the Tamil Gurukulam, met with a fatal accident at the Papanasam Falls. It appears that while crossing the Kalayanathiratham river with a party of students, his daughter who jumped on a rock that was slippery fell into the current which dragged her away. Mr. Iyer jumped in to rescue the girl. Both of them, it is reported, were carried away by the current and precipitated over the falls. No trace of the father or the daughter has yet been discovered.

An "Ashram" boy who also jumped into the river was also carried away by the current but was miraculously saved.

Mr. Iyer was a well-known politician in Southern India. In his early political life was reputed as one of the pioneers of the Indian movement started in England. He had travelled on the Continent and was an exile in Pondicherry. He became a non-co-operator when Mr. Gandhi started his movement. He was the Editor of the "Deshabaktan" a Tamil nationalist daily. He was convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for sedition. Recently he founded the Tamil "Gurukulam."—A.P.

ANGLO-FRENCH RAPPROCHMENT.

STRESSMAN'S "GREAT SUCCESS"

WARSAW, June 4.

The newspapers are keenly commenting on the reapproachment between the English and French viewpoints. They regard the guarantee pact which has opened the means for a vote of no confidence in the Versailes Treaty as a great success for Herr Stressemann who has secured "another scrap of paper in the West and British neutrality in the East".—Reuter.

RUSSIAN BANKS CREDITORS;

IMPORTANT DECISION,

LONDON, June 4.

Berlin.—The creditors of the Russian banks of the pre-revolution period are likely to be interested in an important decision of the Prussian Supreme Court. The Russian Industrial Bank owed the Berlin banking firm eight hundred thousand gold marks. The latter sought to recover the sum from the Deutsche Bank which possessed the deposit belonging to the Russian Industrial Bank. The Court ordered the Deutsche Bank to pay after taking expert opinion which accorded with the decision of the British House of Lords last year.—Reuter.

ILLNESS OF LORD MACDONELL.

LONDON, June 4.

Lord MacDonnell has been ill in London for the last fortnight. The latest bulletin says his condition is serious but the patient is at present holding his own.

INTERNATIONAL COTTON CONFERENCE

LONDON, June 4.

Vienna.—The Twelfth International Cotton Conference was opened here to-day in presence of the President of the Republic, Government members and 320 delegates representing 21 states including Britain, Germany and other European industrial states, India, Egypt, Japan and the United States. The Congress will last for three days.—Reuter.

DEATH OF FRENCH ASTRONOMER.

LONDON, June 4.

Paris.—The death has occurred of M. Camille Flammarion, the French astronomer.

(M. Flamarion was one of the greatest astronomers of the world. He was born on Feb. 1842, and was educated at Langres (1853-56), Paris Observatory, under Le Verrier (1858-62), Sorbonne, under Delaunay (1862), and Bureau des Longitudes (1862-66). He founded the monthly review "L'Astronomie" in 1882, and the now famous Observatory at Juvisy in 1883. He founded the Astronomical Society of France in 1887. He was a prolific writer and among his publications are, "Marvels of the Heavens" 1870; "The Atmosphere," 1873; "Urania," 1891; "Omega, the last days of the world," 1893; "Popular Astronomy," 1894; "Lumen," 1897; "The Unknown," 1900; "Astronomy for Amateurs," 1904; "Mysterious Psychic Forces," 1907; "Death and its Mystery," in three parts, 1920, 1921, 1922. "Dreams of an Astronomer," 1923. He was a firm believer in Spiritualism.)

CABLE ITEMS

A number of stall-holders are complaining about the difficulty of carrying on profitably even on ordinary days and rejoicing at the abolition of the half-crown entrance on Tuesdays at Wembley.—Reuter.

Paris.—M. Pierre Louys, famous French surgeon, is dead.—Reuter.

According to the "Liverpool Daily Post", Lord Derby has offered the Liverpool Corporation his terrritoial interests in Bootle. The price is said to be about a million sterling. Lord Derby owns practically the whole of Bootle except the docks. —Reuter's Special.

The Governor of Bombay accompanied by Lady Wilson. Major H. G. Vaux Military Secretary and Captain C. B. Lyon T. B. C. Piggott and J. P. Robinson Aides-de-Camp left Mahableshwar and arrived Ganeshkhind on Thursday the 4th June.

ANGLO-INDIANS AND N. W. RAILWAY.

UNCOVENANTED EMPLOYEES' ASSN,

LAHORE, June 4.

A meeting of the Anglo-Indian and Domiciled European subordinate employees of the North-Western Railway was held to-night at Burt Institute under the presidency of Mr. Pounde, president of the Lahore branch of the Anglo-Indian and Domiciled European Association, with a view to form an association for the protection of the interests of a large body of Anglo-Indian and Domiciled European employees of this railway. Mr. C. H. Holt, area secretary of the Anglo-Indian Association who convened the meeting, in the course of a lengthy speech explained the aims and objects of the meeting and the necessity of an organisation for the Anglo-Indian employees of the North-Western Railway. He informed the meeting that there were over 6,000 members of the Anglo-Indian community holding subordinate appointments in all departments of the N.-W. Railway. He was convinced that an organisation properly formed and run on constitutional lines would receive the support of every official.

Referring to the present railway strike he expressed his full sympathy with the strikers in their terrible plight. He considered that these ignorant and simple individuals had been dupei into believing that they had only to strike work and their leaders would then be able to secure for them most impossible demands which had been put forward. He hoped that when their association was formed they would learn lessons from the present strike and avoid unreasonable obstructive methods which would bring them into contempt with the administration and alienate from them the sympathy and support of the public.

The president Mr. Pounde expressed his full sympathy with the organisers of the meeting and assured them that his Association would always be at their back and would always press their claims. Col. Gidney, their chief, he assured, would be ready to champion any good cause that would be put forward before him. He hoped every man, whatever his caste or creed might be, should find a fair opportunity provided he was fit for the job. He had convinced the Agent of the N.-W. Railway that the members of his association were perfectly loyal but they were ready to fight to the litter end for their rights in every constitutional way. They had refused to regard the present strike as a strike. He wished all success to the organisers of the Association and asked them to consider whether a purely sectional [illegible] in an union of [illegible] times of emergency and whether it was not advisable to have an organisation of all uncovenanted employees of the N.-W. Railway. It was unanimously resolved that an Association called the N.-W. Railway Uncovenanted Employees' Association be formed and Mr. Holt was asked to do the needful for the furtherance of the above object. A D[illegible]

S. INDIAN RLY.

THIRD CLASS FARE REDUCED.

(From our Correspondent.)

MADRAS, June 5.

An intimation has been received that the Railway Board have appoved the recommendation of the Agent, South Indian Railway to reduce the third class passenger fare on mail and express trains by half a pie per mile and that the reduced rates will be brought into force on the 15th instant.

WAGES REDUCTION IN COIMBATORE MILLS.

COIMBATORE, June 4.

As a result of the conference to settle the dispute over the reduction of twenty per cent. in the wages in the weaving section of the Mall Mills and the Coimbatore Spinning and Weaving Mills which are under management of Messrs. Stanes and Company Mr. A. R. Box, I.C.S., who presided, has now given his decision suggesting, instead of twenty per cent. a reduction of fifteen and twelve and a half per cent. respectively for the weavers working twot looms and a single loom.—A.P.

CROP FORECAST.

CALCUTTA, June 4.

The final general memorandum on the winter oilseeds (rape, mustard and linseed) crop of 1924-25 shows that the total area under rape and mustard cultivation amounts to 6,376,000 acres which is 3 per cent. above the finally revised area of last year. The total estimated yield is 1,173,000 tons as against 1,149,000 tons, the revised final figure of last year, or an increase of 2 per cent. The total area under linseed is returned at 3,695,000 acres which is one per cent. below the area of last year. The total estimated yield is 541,000 tons as against 463,000 tons last year or an increase of 17 per cent.

WHEAT FORECAST.

The fourth wheat forecast for 1924-25 shows that the total area is now returned at 31,572,000 acres as against 31,031,000 acres (revised) at this time last year or an increase of 2 per cent. The total yield is now estimated at 8,802,000 tons as compared with 9,682,000 tons (revised) at this time last year or a decrease of 9 per cent. The condition of the crop on the whole is reported to be fair. The present estimate of the yield as compared with that made at this time last year shows a decrease of 26 and 8 per cent. respectively in the Punjab and the United Provinces, the two important wheat-growing areas. These decreases together with those in the minor tracts are counter-balanced to some extent by the increases in other areas, mainly Bombay and the Central Provinces and Berar.—A.P.

ANGLO-INDIAN DEPUTATION TO ENGLAND.

OOTY ANGLO-INDIAN ASSN'S SUPPORT

MADRAS, June 4.

At a special meeting held on Wednesday at Ooctacamund of the members of the Anglo-Indian Association, Ooty branch, including the public, with Mr. F. Powlandson, formerly president of the Madras Association in the chair, a resolution was passed approving wholeheartedly of the proposed Anglo-Indian deputation to England. The resolution further said that it would morally and financially support the deputation to achieve its commendable aims.

The Coonoor branch has also joined in this resolution.—A.P.

RANDOM JOTTINGS.

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tain well defined terms of political opposition to bureaucratic obstinacy? If he does that, he will have no difficulty in evolving a common political programme next time he essays the task.

The Communalists.

There is one point of agreement between the Communists in Europe and our Communalists in India, Both get red hot over a grievance and forget to keep a sense of proportion. Dr. Kitchlew, and in a more diplomatic manner Maulana Mahomed Ali on the one hand, and Pundit Malaviyaji and Lala Lajpatrai, on the other, have unfortunately taken to communalism instead of advising their countrymen to keep a sense of proportion in their communal squabbles. The remedies which Lalaji recently recommended for better cohesion amongst the Hindus are excellent, and he warned them that *Sangathan* does by no means imply hatred of other communities, but his researches into the "downfalll of Hindus" have made him absurdly imprudent in expression, particularly lamentable in a man who was and has every right to be even now, an All India leader, but who now chooses to restrict himself to the dogmatic position of only a Hindu leader. The more the pity, because Lalaji can lead, with his directness of outlook and his labouriously acquired knowledge of the position of India in world politics. while other leaders amongst us are busy with paper pacts, or common programmes, or party manoeuvres.

The Congress aad Indian States.

One wishes the nationalist press in Gujerat and Sindh would devote a definite amount of space in the manner of the "Kesri" of Poona to political progress and popular grievances in Indian States. If that is done, the delegates to the Congress sessions will not continue in their attitude of aloofness with respect to those parts of India where we are blessed with Swa-deshi rule, and are sometimes likely to imagine that it is better for the ryot than our "Bideshi" variety. When a State comes into undesirable timelight the advisors of the Chief or the Maharaiah manage to get up some sort of public representative body which is expected to voice convenient opinions. Good rulers of the type of Raikot are looked down upon as cranks and faddists by the other "Narendras" because real representative consultation is a thorn in the side of autocracy. The Congress Executive should consider it as its duty to unite popular leaders from Indian States to lay their grievnaces before the Peoples' Parliament.

ACCIDENT TO AN AVIATOR.

LONDON, June 4.

After uneventfully flying nearly a quarter million miles Cobham met with an accident when he accompanied Edwards Deputy Director of Civil Aviation flying to Berlin in a baby plane De Havilland "New Moth" on which he recently flew from London to Zurich and back. H emade a forced landing at Middeharnie, Holland. The pilot and passenger were uninjured, and are continuing their journey by train with the object of seeing an important light aeroplane competitions in Berlin.—Reuter.

NO PROTECTION TO MAGNESIUM CHLORIDE.

SIMLA, June 6.

The Government of India (Commerce Department) accepts the finding of the Tariff Board that magnesium chloride has not made good its claim for protection.—A. P.

PADROADO.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—Roman Catholic Christians are cruelly hit, when their priest refuse to marry their sons daughters or wards. The question of marriage has nothing to do with disputes, quarrels and disagreements between parishioners and their vicars. As a matter of fact, the young men and women or lads and lasses, to be married have taken no part in the disputes and controversies. They have not demanded the removal of the Padroado or inspecction of accounts which seem to give the greatest offence to Padroado ecclesiastics. Even if they did, they cannot be refused admission to the marriage performed. Whether the Padroado should be abolished, His Holiness the Pope is the judge. He is to decide the question. In making petitions for its abolition the people are not guilty of any breach of the Church Laws. They are acting constitutionally. They should not be coerced into silence by unfair, wrongful and despotic acts or methods. I hope saner counsels will prevail. Let there be

PEACE.

"WOULD SHOOT YOU"

ALLEGED THREAT TO PRINCESS

COOCH BEHAR ROYALTY IN COURT.

CALCUTTA, June 5.

At the High Court to-day, before Mr. Justice Gregory the suit brought by Princess Isharani Nirupama Debi against her husband Prince Victor Nityendra Narain of Cooch Behar for the dissotlution of her marriage was taken up. Mr. B. C. Ghose appeared for the petitioner. The prince did not enter an appearance, but Mr. R. C. Banerjee watched the proceedings on his behalf.

Mr. Ghose in opening the case said that the parties were married on 18th April 1916 and lived happily until the birth of the first child in July 1917, after which the princess discovered that the prince was in the habit of getting drunk very often and in that mood he was usually very rude and unkind to her.

"REFINED CRUELTY."

The counsel would not be able to prove actual physical hurt but there was what he would call refined cruelty. The kind of treatment which the prince meted out to his wife was of such a nature and so degrading that her health completely broke down and according to her doctor this breakdown was mainly due to mental depression owing to worry and ill-treatment. On one occasion the prince threatened to shoot her as could be seen from a letter dated 30th August 1922. This was followed by several telegrams to her in which he used very objectionable words. In that letter the prince stated that he was going up to Ranchi, that somebody would be shot and that he was a very good shot with a revolver. The prince went to Ranchi and in the presence of her mother-in-law repeated his threat to shoot. That was also borne out in a letter written by the prince to his father-in-law on 15th October 1922. The prince also admitted in a letter that owing to his ill-treatment of his wife her health had completely broken down.

Evidence of misconduct, continued councel, on the part of the prince at Cooch Behar and Ranchi would be given.

PRINCESS ISHARANI EXAMINED.

Princess Isharani Nirupama Dobi deposed that she was married to Prince Victor in April 1916 at Ballygunj, a suburb of Calcutta, that her first son was born in July 1917 and her second son in August 1918. At that time her husband's treatment of her was not good. He used to drink heavily; she protested as the Prince was suffering from diabetes and she was afraid it would aggravate his illness. While they were living at Alipur one day she went to the Prince's room. He became angry and said "you ill-bred person; get out of the room. Don't worry me". Witness felt this very much and left the room weeping bitterly. In 1920 while they were at Ranchi one day she fell from the staircase, was severely hurt and was in agony but the Prince left the next day for Calcutta to attend the races, leaving her to the care of servants. Continuing, witness said that in 1921 while they were staying at Ranchi there was a big dispute between them over the purchase of some cloth. She purchased Lalimli as she preferred it to any other cloth. The Prince got angry and said "you prefer Lalimli because it is countrymade". He abused Bengalees and in particular Baidyas to which caste she belonged, to hurt her feelings. The prince then said "if you do not agree with me it will not be possible for me to live with you at all and I will turn you out of the house". As a result of this quarrel, the Prince did not speak to her the next two days nor did he come near her. Two days later he again quarrelled with her. She fainted at the dining table and was in bed two or three days.

"WOULD SHOOT HER".

The witness next deposed to an incident with regard to a certain gentleman who met with an accident at Hazaribagh. This took place in 1922 when she was at Ranchi, and the prince in Calcutta. She went in a taxi with this gentleman's mother at the latter's request to find out whether he had met with an accident. Some mischievous persons reported this to the prince and put a different motive on her action. Shortly after this she received several insulting telegrams and a letter on the 30th August 1922, in which it was stated that he might come to Ranchi and shoot her. The prince then came to Ranchi, entered her room stared at her for a time and said "enough, enough". Witness' mother asked the prince what he meant? He said that what he had heard was enough. He was trembling with rage. Referring to her the prince said "I do not want her; let her go into th streets, I will take away my children this time". She then fainted. This happened in the presence of the servants.

PRINCE'S ALLEGED MISCONDUCT WITH A WOMAN.

Referring to the charge of misconduct with a woman named Surabala the Princess said "She is a young widow at Cooch Behar. The Maharani sent her to Kalimpong to learn sewing and on her return I got her employed in a technical school at Cooch Behar. One day I went to inspect the school and did not find Surabala there, I made enquiries and received certain information about the relations between my husband and Surabala. I sent a girl upstairs to call Surabala. The girl came back and said that the Prince and Surabala were not in the big room but their voices could be heard from an adjoining room. When Surabala came I questioned her. She fell at my foot saying she had been sent for by Prince Victor and that she could not help going".

This closed the princess' evidence; and the court rose for the day.—A.P.

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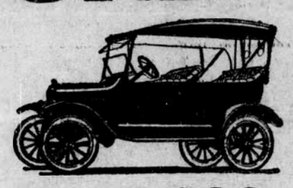

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DEVELOPMENT SCANDALS.

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counter-proposals contained in this letter and take immediate steps to appoint such a committee including the said judicial officer, as I am most anxious, in the public interest and for the future safety of public funds, to have this matter thoroughly investigated and thrashed out. The Government apparently do not seem to realise and appreciate that investigation in such matters, to be effective, should be started immediately after allegations are made, otherwise in the course of time all available material and evidence may, for one reason or other, disappear and thus the investigation may be seriously hampered and prejudiced and the long delay of over a year has already considerably damaged and prejudiced my case.

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GOVERNMENT REPLY.

Government letter No. S.D.—845, dated the 4th June 1925 to Mr. K. F. Nariman, M.L.C.:—

"I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, dated the 19th May 1925, regarding Government's offer of an enquiry by a high judicial officer into your allegations against the officers of the Development Department and certain facilities to you in connection therewith.

"2. At the outset of your letter you refer Government to a resolution moved by you in the Legislative Council on 24th October 1924, for a committee consisting of 12 non-official and elected members to be appointed 'to enquire into the whole administration and working of the Development Directorate, to suggest ways and means of effecting retrenchments, and to report on the advisability or otherwise of continuing the schemes taken in hand' and you suggest that this committee, in a modified form, should now be appointed to investigate your allegations of fraud and similar offences. In reply I am to point out that the object for which you moved for a committee last October is easily distinguishable from the object of the investigation now proposed by Government. In October last you did not make the allegations which were quoted in Government's letter No. S. D.—651, dated the 28th April 1925. It is not necessary to refer further to the enquiry suggested by you last October than to state that you subsequently refused a place on the Advisory Committees of the Development Department in connection with a special enquiry into the activities of the Department. The allegations, which are the subject of the present correspondence, were made for the first time in the Legislative Council on 2nd March last. An investigation into them is easily separable from an enquiry to ascertain how far departmental activities can be curtailed with a view to effecting retrenchments, and Government are of opinion that the two kinds of enquiry should be kept distinct. Further, Government consider that an investigation into charges, which you indicate to be of a criminal character, cannot suitably be undertaken by a committee of the kind which you suggest.

"3. The arrangement proposed by Government was to appoint an officer of high judicial attainments to investigate any definite charge which you are prepared to make. Your main objections to an investigation by such an officer are that it will be 'a one-sided official departmental investigation' and that there would be natural tendency and inclination on the part of any officer, connected with and subordinate to the same Government to shield his brother officers and protect the reputation of the Government Department'. Government do not propose to discuss these baseless allegations against the members of the judicial department as a whole.

"4. The only other matter in your letter, which requires a reference is your description of the offer which was made to you of certain facilities in pursuit of the enquiry as 'objectionable' and 'a serious affront' to the Legislative Council. The only definite counter-suggestion which you make does not appear, however, to be materially different. You were offered the right to be present when evidence is recorded, the right to cross-examine witnesses, and the right to see documents which are admitted as exhibits by the enquiring officer. You ask, in reply, that you should be placed in a position 'with a right to call for and examine or tender all testimony, documentary or otherwise, that are considered relevant and material to the investigation' You have only to indicate such documents or other evidence to the investigating officer and if he finds that they are relevant the documents will be open to your examination and the witnesses to your examination or cross-examination. As regards your objection that these facilities are similar to those accorded to Government servants who may be incriminated, it was assumed that you would understand that any Government servant incriminated by the charges which you brought could not be condemned unheard and that he would have an opportunity of explaining the facts brought in evidence against him. It has always been a rule of Government that in enquiries into charges of misconduct on the part of Government servants, the accused servant should have a fair trial. This requires that he shall be confronted with the witnesses who incriminate him and be shown the documents used to substantiate the charges against him. He is also allowed to cross-examine hostile witnesses and to call in his own for examination and his explanation has to be reduced to writing and carefully considered. These facilities which are based on universally recognised canons of fair dealing, must be attended to and the fact that the charges are brought by an elected member of the Legislative Council does not affect the facilities to be given either to one side or the other in the conduct of the investigation.

"5. The position is now as follows. In addition to allegations of fraud, you have stated in the Legislative Council that if you had sufficient time at your disposal, you would have given instances after instances of misapplication of funds of a nature which under ordinary circumstances would have resulted in proceedings in a court of law. In short, you purport to be in possession of information relating to numerous criminal offences. The right duty of a responsible citizen with such information at his disposal is to inform the authorities in order that the guilty parties may be detected and punished. If you offered this information to the authorities, the responsibility for an impartial investigation would be shifted to them. But you have refused to divulge it on the grounds that the judicial officer conducting the investigation would not be impartial and that the facilities to be afforded to you in pursuit of the enquiry are similar to those allowed to persons incriminated. These are extraordinary reasons to be offered by a member of the legal profession for withholding information regarding numerous alleged offences of a criminal kind. As you made the allegations publicly and as the matter is of public interest Government propose to publish the whole correspondence in order that the attitude of Government may be made known and also that the public may judge for themselves whether the excuses given in your letter under reply for withholding the information which you profess to possess are reasonable, and how far the conclusion of Government, that you are unable to supply any definite information sufficient for the investigation of even a single charge, is justified

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The boy was removed to J. J. Hospital where it was discovered that he had received some contused wounds and several abrasions on the body. The fracture was detected.

The house belongs to Bai Cooverbai Kuverji and it was stated that the occupants were long warned to leave the building as it was not safe.

CALCUTTA SHARE MARKET.

CALCUTTA, June 5.

In the share market intes were a steady market with most of the business confined to Howrah and Clive on interbazar accounts. There was not much support for the hundred rupee denominations and prices on the whole were on the decline. In coals with the exception of Bengal that changed hands at five hundred no other deals took place. In teas though source of profit taking was in evidence rates were not only maintained but in some cases registered advances. In miscellaneous with the exception of rubbers which kept steady no new features were recorded. Government securities were steady. Following were the closing quotations:—

Government securities:—3 1/2 per cent. Government paper Rs. 68/7, 5 per cent loan 1945-55 99/10, 6 per cent bonds 1926 101, do 1932 105.

Jutes:—Anglo India 427/8, Auckland 257/8, Barnagore 189 Belvedere 544, Budge Budge 435, Caledonian 593 Clive 38/12, Craig 4/12, Delta 500, Empire 50/12, Craig 4/12, Fort William 372, Howrah 40, do pref 107 Hukumchand ord 9/12, Kankinarrah 468/8, Lansdowne 200, Lothian 409/8, National 29/8, Northbrook 53/6, Nuddea 42 Orient 212/8, Presidency 7/14, Reliance 62.

Coals:—Bengal 500.

Miscellaneous: Indian Iron and Steel 25/8, Himalayan Assurance 1/4, Howrah Sheakhala Light Railway 104/8, British India Corporation ord 4/8, Burma Finance and Mining 3/4, Bengal Timber 105.

Tea Companies:—Batelli 6/8, Bishnauth 32/5, Dhunsori 6/2, Sooni 17/12, Toon Ali 18/8; Tumsong 20.

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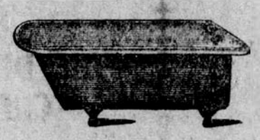

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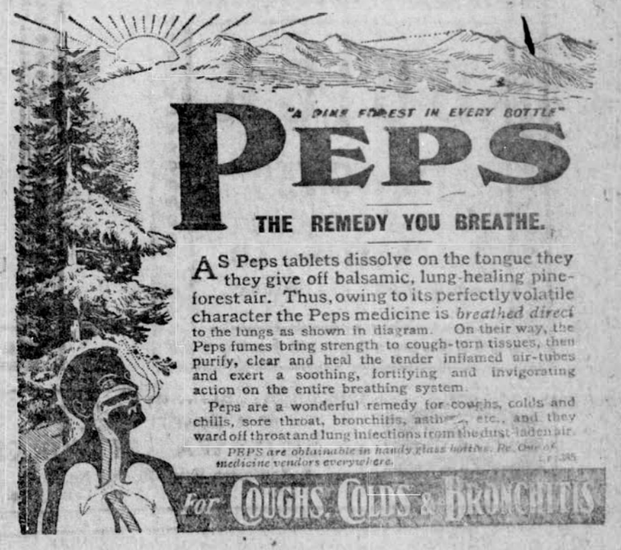

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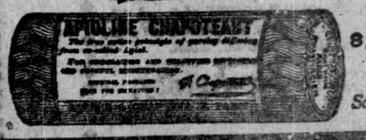

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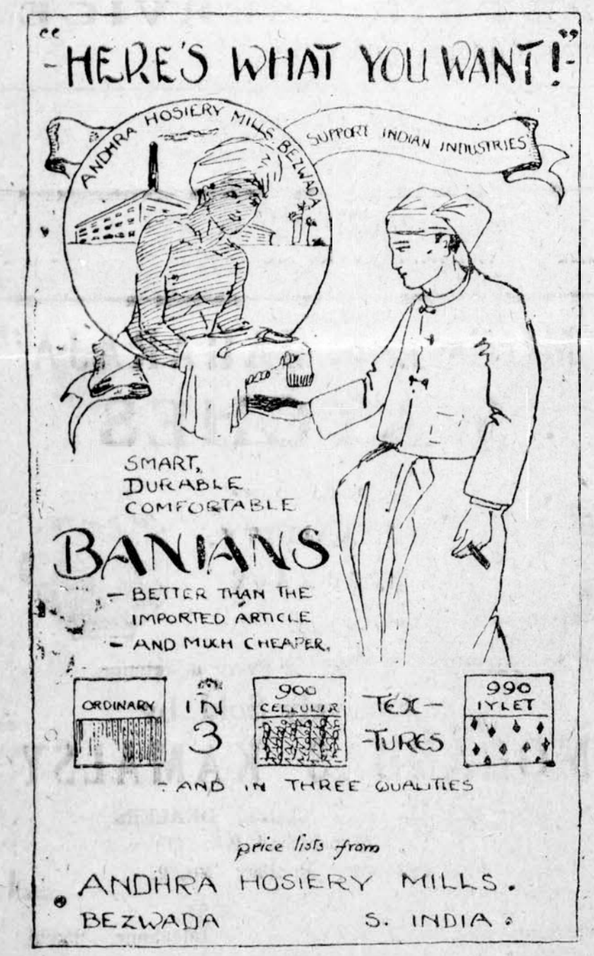

LORD BIRKENHEAD, A SCRIBE.

A QUESTION IN COMMONS.

The "Pioneer's" Londo.. correspondent writes:—

Everybody seems to be a journalist now-a days, statesmen in office as well as statesmen out of it. Lord Birkenhead, looking longingly at the £40,000 a year which he says he is told he could now be making at the bar if he had not fallen by the way, into the woolsack, strives industriously to make a pittance out of newspapers. What he gets for it may seem to him a trifle. To the ordinary journalist it would seem a lot, and to that same ordinary journalist it seems that the money is adequate for the goods. The great men of the world are rushing into print. Can it be true that they know no more than they tell? It is one thing or the other. Either they take the money and keep their best goods to themselves or the journalists who have been writing the same kind of recollections for twenty years past are badly remunerated.

Lord Balfour does not write for money. Neither does Lord Asquith—though the vehement Lady Asquith does, somewhat to the dismay of her austere husband. So far as I know, Arthur Balfour's name has never appeared in the pay list of any publication. Asquith's has, but it was a long time ago. When struggling for his position at the bar he wrote for the "Economist," and he still talks of Walter Bagehot (which rhymes with Paget) as if Bagehot was the greatest editor who ever lived —"one of the subtlest thinkers and most original writers of my life-time." Strange, how fleeting is the fame of journalists. Bagehot is no more than a dimly remembered name, and he would not even be that but for Lord Asquith's repeated references to him.

As to Lord Birkenhead's side-lines of activity the sleuth-hounds of the Labour Party are on the pounce. Mr. Johnston, the Socialist member for Dundee, has given notice that he will ask the Prime Minister whether the Cabinet accepts the rule that Ministers of the Crown during their tenure of office shall refrain from contributing articles to the newspaper Press on public affairs; whether Mr. Baldwin is aware that the Secretary of State for India is a voluminous contributor to the newspaper Press on matters affecting public policy; and what steps, if any, it is proposed to take. He does not add the further enquiry which leaps to the mind—what would the old lion, William Ewart Gladstone, have done in the matter?

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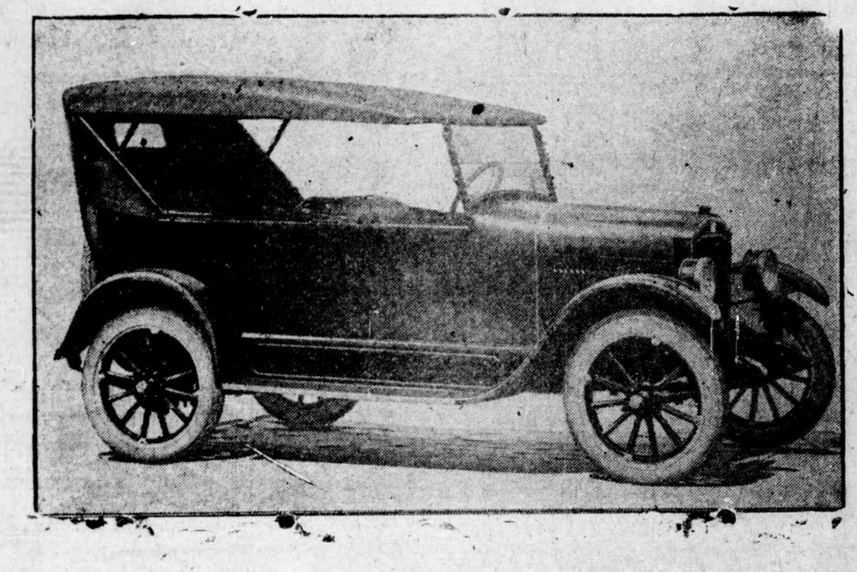

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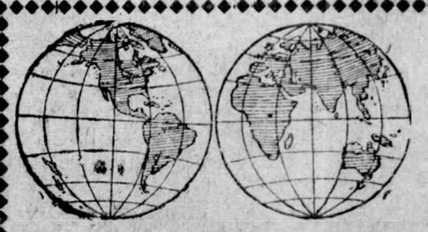

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